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" Grade pave S.W. and
For Sidewalks both sides Mountgomery
" S.W. on all
" " both sides Main
" " "
" " "
" for S.W on Waterstreet
" Grade Plank S.W.
" " pave with brick Sidewalks
" " Lewis & Clay "
" " Jefferson
" S.W. on High Street
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January [illegible]

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradburn, Conn, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hagan, Hubbell, Hagen, Hall, Lampert, Tremmel, Tower, Underhill and Underhill. Absent Halcomson, Parker, Schaff and Tuttle.

Minutes of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition read from [illegible] Board and about [illegible] which read in these words to wit.

In view of the fact that there exists a [illegible] that the census returns of the Deputy United State Marshals for this city did not contain a full enumeration of the inhabitants and that such discrepancy materially affects the interest and prosperity, and as by the constitution and laws of the State it is the duty of the Township Trustee to cause an enumeration of the white male inhabitants of the township, to be made between the 1st of January and the 1st of July of this year. We therefore respectfully ask that the same persons employed by the Trustee be authorized, at the same time, to take the [illegible] enumeration of persons, that its exact [illegible] may be ascertained.

Which petition was received and ordered filed on file.

Mr. Grant Superintendent of the Public Schools, appeared before the City Council and petitioned the Council on the consideration and the data of the Deputy United States Marshals census and that letter of the School Board in regard to the number of School children in this city. The increase in the number of school children has been fourfold since. He also mentioned that the census in many respects was defective.

Petition read from [illegible] praying for reduction on Nos 3 & 4 [illegible] addition, and Lot 1 in Sub Lot 3, Hannah's addition, Harrison Township which are assessed for the year 1870.

Which petition was referred to Committee on [illegible]

Petition read from [illegible] owners of the West half of Sub Lot 17 in the [illegible] of Lots 4 and Lot 3 Sub Lot 2 in Mitchell's praying for reduction of taxes assessed for 1870.

Which petition was referred to Committee on [illegible]

Petition read from Bridget Curtis praying for reduction of assessment on Lot Lot 25 Kansas Add. and improvement

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition read from [illegible] praying for reduction of assessment on Lot [illegible] Add.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition read from E. Forbes representing that he returned to the Assessor the county [illegible] property for 1870 but which was subsequently raised by the Board of Equalization to $2400 which sum thus raised he prays to be cancelled.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition read of A. J. Erwin praying that Council allow him pay as ex-officio from May 1st 1870. to May 1st 1871 as member of Board of Health.

On motion of Wm. Shryock, said petition was laid on the table.

Petition & affidavit recd from George Fisher representing that the Assessor for the year 1870 charged him for one dog. The said Fisher further says under oath, that at no time for the past two years has he either owned or harbored a dog, and he prays that said assessment may be cancelled.

Which prayer of petition was granted and Clerk ordered to notify Treasurer of the reduction thus made.

Petition recd from L. Miller et al praying that the saloon known as "Congress Hall", on Main street, be abated as a nuisance.

Which petition was granted.

Petition read from J. C. Evans, praying that Council assume the payment of $25. of the amount assessed against Lot No 58. County Add for [illegible] on which [illegible] from Bair street to the West line of Lot No 44 County Addition

On motion said petition was laid on the table by the following vote: Ayes; Messrs. Broadway, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Hogan, Heckelin, Morgan and Wadington (6). Nays. Goshorn, Stoll, Shryock, Foerring, [illegible] (4).

The [illegible] presented the following report which [illegible]

To the Common Council of the City of [illegible]

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned would respectfully report, That in pursuance of a resolution of the Council, he has visited a number of cities where the Holly System of Fire Protection and Water Supply for Cities is in successful operation, or is being constructed; and, with as much minuteness as time would permit, examined the construction and operation of said system. The old reservoir plan of furnishing water, by fixed gravitation, is entirely dispensed with, and the mechanical difficulties have to be overcome by this method. Cities surrounded by elevated grounds have no advantage over those situated on plains.

The peculiarity of this plan is, the supply of water is taken from wells, from which it is pumped, needed for the supply. Piston and rotary pumps are used, and in some cases both are combined, and to guard the action of the pumps and provide for a varying supply of water, there can increase or decrease the power of the pumps at pleasure.

These wells are generally from twenty to thirty feet in depth, and from twenty to fifty feet in diameter, with one or more tunnels leading off from near the bottom of the well, eighty or one hundred feet, and by this means, sufficient water circulates through the gravel to supply any demand. In some instances as high as four million gallons have been taken within twenty-four hours without materially lessening the supply.

This system is one having of great merit. The city of Auburn, in the State of New York, was one of the first to adopt it, and it has been in successful operation about five years. At the present time over twenty cities have either constructed or are now constructing water works on this plan. In this State are the cities of Davenport, Cedar Rapids, Lacorte and Keokuk; also, the cities of Columbus, Canton, and Dayton, Ohio, and Indianapolis, Indiana. In point of economy, efficiency, adaptation to the great variety of the ground, and durability, its superior to all its economy and efficiency. Its economy is due to its pumping system, in which the greatest machine can be employed, and its efficiency consists in its not only supplying every building desires it with pure water, but in rendering the supply available in all parts of a city where water pipes are laid, and it throughout in all directions to be used. The latter feature is chiefly to be ascribed its great superiority to those used.

The first city visited was Columbus, Ohio, which is about one half completed and under the direction and management of Mr. L. Hillsbury, C.E., a skilful and distinguished engineer, with large experience in the construction of water works,

both in the old and new [illegible]. The Kindly took me in charge, [illegible] and explained to me fully the system and the construction of the works as far as finished. The there are to be of [illegible] costs about. The engine house alone is to cost- some $75,000, and they expect to expend in fully completing the works, about- $500,000. I explained to Mr. Pillsbury, the location of Fort Wayne and its surroundings, with a view to approximate the cost of constructing works in our city; and whilst I was receiving courtesies from other officials of the city, the Kindly furnished me with the following:

ESTIMATED COST OF WATER WORKS AT FORT WAYNE.

Water Works Grounds,		$2000.
Engine House,		7000
Well & Pumping Gallery.		10,000
Boiler house for pumping engines & [illegible]		35,000
Very well [illegible] to Engine House		500
		455,500

PIPE SYSTEM & DISTRIBUTION.

1,032 Tons of 16 inch pipe, 214.4 lbs.		
214.4 " " 12 " " 214.4 "		
151.8 " " 10 " " 151.8 "		
324,000 " " 8 " " 324,000 "		
Total [illegible] pipe weighing 1,032.64 Tons & Cost [illegible]		
Expended for Freight [illegible]	$2,013	
Cost of laying 1,032.64 Tons of pipe including lead.	69,135	
[illegible]	4,000	$75,148

FIRE HYDRANTS.

130 [illegible] D. $50 each	$6,500	
18 [illegible]	3750	10,250

STOP VALVES.

30 [illegible]	1,500
Total	$146,398

The above estimate is based upon machinery, &c. and 12 miles of supply pipe. As our city extends over so large a territory, (having over 35 miles of streets,) we would [illegible] all beginning about 16 or 18 miles of pipe, which would increase the cost to about two hundred thousand dollars.

I visited the City of Dayton, where this system has been in operation since [illegible] last.

These works, on their completion, were inaugerated by a public demonstration and display. This practical test appears to have been a gratifying success to all concerned. The following extract is taken from the report of the official test:-

"At about 2 o'clock sections of hose were attached to six hydrants in the vicinity of Third and Main streets and the water was sent rushing up heaven

ward, through [illegible]. It [illegible] any difference in the [illegible] of the two and the six streams, we were unable to see it. The [illegible] were unable to see it. It performed the work allotted cleanly and splendidly, and evoked the hearty applause of the thousands on the street. These six streams, were sustained right along for about an hour, so that the most skeptical of those who opposed the Holly plan, though they didn't think, were able to get the success of the thing [illegible].

"At 3 o'clock six other streams were added, making twelve in all, playing right along Main street, within two squares of each other, making altogether the most unique and most spectacular exhibition ever witnessed in the West. These twelve streams were kept up for an hour and a half, and the pressure was scarcely reduced below the regular standard. In fact, it seemed that there was no end to the capacity of the mains to throw water, and the engineers were completely masters of the situation. All the streams played above the highest roof, and threw water as far as any building in the city. Had the half dozen streams of water been turned into one and upon the same house, it would not have been disturbed by the least tremor. It was a most magnificent demonstration of the Holly system in every respect.

"Three one and a half inch streams were taken from the fire plugs at the corner of Ross and 4 o'clock; and the remaining streams were fed by the great columns of water, to the height of one hundred feet. A sailor who saw the throwing, said the streams resembled a whale spouting at sea.

"The exhibition closed after five o'clock, p. m., by throwing huge streams of water from the hose without pipes, showing the capacity of the hydrants for sending out water in case of fire. What could if the hose were elevated to the top of a burning building, smother out, in short order, any fire that could be had.

"Visitors here, from all points, were enthusiastic in their praises of the Holly system, and we heard many of them speak of the erection of works on the Holly plan, in the cities they represented, before another season passed over. Our Memphis visitors who wished to see for themselves the practical working of a thing which they admired, were especially delighted with the test. In fact, we could not particularize where all were so enthusiastic in admiration, and so determined to secure the system for the places they represented. The inauguration of the Holly Water Works, has formed a new era in the history of Dayton, and henceforth our citizens can sleep with a sense of security that they have hitherto [illegible] strangers to."

I am indebted to the Hon. P. W. Zachrie, President of the Council of the City of Dayton, for the following detailed statement of the cost of the works in that City:-

COST OF DAYTON WATERWORKS.

1 [illegible] Machinery — Pumping capacity, 6 millions aggregate in 24 hours,	$37,000
[illegible] Trench 3 feet wide & 100 feet long,	4,000
3 — Machine and Boiler House	8,500
4 — Coal House,	1,200
5 — [illegible] Dwelling for Engineer,	12,300
6 — [illegible] for Machinery	1,000
7 — [illegible]	5,000
[illegible]	11,000
Total	$245,000

[illegible] Machinery, includes two upright tubular boilers of proper capacity to run the machinery, all set up [illegible] This aggregate is entirely correct, and, as to the several items, is substantially so.

P. W. Iddings.

Pres. Council.

The cost of running the machinery and other incidental expenses, without counting salaries of officers is about $ 6,000. per annum. The Water Commissioners estimate that after the expiration of two years, the works will be self sustaining, and pay the interest on the investment; and that the income will increase from year to year, thereby create a sinking fund, that will, in fifteen or twenty years, pay the whole cost of construction.

At Indianapolis, a private company is building the works on the same plan as at Dayton and Columbus, and the company anticipate that it will be a very profitable investment.

Would such an investment by your City pay? To this question there might be some diversity of opinion. The Auburn works were constructed by a private company, about five years ago. The Secretary, in reply to a recent letter stated:-

"It has been a financial success. Our chartered capital was $100,000. We have now seventeen miles of [illegible] and have expended $50,000 more than our capital, $150,000 in all.

"We have paid our stockholders 3½ per cent. semi-annually, from the start, and our net earnings [illegible] are about 15 per cent., and constantly increasing. No stock for sale."

At Binghamton, New York, the system has been in operation over two years, and [illegible] writes:-

"We expect to reach at least fifteen hundred "Water Takers" during the summer.

"The Commissioners have not yet completed their annual report, but I believe the revenue will amount nearly to $11.350. This amount embraces some cash received for building purposes. It is proper to state in this connection, that our builders find that the ready access to the water from the main water pipes facilitates their work, and considerable revenue is received from this source.

"We are quite confident that the revenue one year from this time, will more than pay the entire interest on the cost of the works, and all expenses attending the running of the same, leaving surplus for sinking fund annually, which will ultimately pay off the construction bonds. I see no reason to doubt the same [illegible] we all wish that."

I have given above a cursory description of the cost and operation of this system, and am fully satisfied of its practical utili

ty, and if our city was out of debt, or nearly so, I would recommend that action at once, and the necessary steps taken to commence the work in due time, but with our present large indebtedness, and the consequent heavy taxes which will be on citizens in the near future, I do not advise it as contemplated in the resolutions.

If our neighboring cities now contemplating improvements, or the Commissioners at other cities, I should be happy to further their interests in any way I can, either officially or otherwise.

Respectfully submitted,

P. L. Randall.

January 10th 1871. Mayor.

Which report was received and ordered filed.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed to prepare a Final Estimate for John W. Langohr for grading and planking the sidewalks on the East side of Hanna street from Jones street to Herndon st, and on the west side of said street bordering on lots 45, 46 and 90 Lewis Addition.

In accordance with above resolution City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for Grading and Planking the Sidewalks on Hanna street from Herndon to Jones street. made @ 32 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 2 cents per square foot for the planking.

Name	Description					Remarks
John H. Bass						Contract
Michael Rimmel						"
Frank J. Luly						"
City of Fort Wayne	Cross walks on Jones & Herndon street		15			

Which Final Estimate is herewith submitted to be in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved, January 10th 1871, P. L. Randall, Mayor.

Attest, Sam'l. Freeman, City Clerk. C. C. Engineer's Office

Which Estimate is approved and allowed and Clerk directed Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate allowed John W. Langohr, for grading and planking the Sidewalks on Hanna Street fronting on lots 45, 46 & 90, in Lewis Addition made @ 32 cents per cubic yard

for the grading and Macadamizing for the planking.

Names of Owners	Description	Assessed		Amount		Total	Remarks
		ft	in	for Grading	for Planking		
Mary A. Motherwell,		90	50	3 80	22 00	25 80	Lewi
C.B. Sheidmantel,		86	50	2 54	22 00	24 54	"
Moritz Axt		45	50	1 27	22 00	23 27	"
City of Fort Wayne	Crossings at Montgomery			25	3 96	4 21	
	Repairing Alley Crossings					1 75	

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved January 10th 1891. E. L. Brackenridge

Attest: Thos. H. Brown, City Clerk. Civil Engineer,

The above Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

The Civil Engineer submitted following.

To the Hon the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:- The following statement shows the amount of dirt sold on ale of Grading Hanna street. Also names of purchasers.

Hugh Hanna	320 Loads	@	15¢	$48.00
Oliver Hanna	505 "	"	10	56.50
	50 "	"	15	7.50
John Hough	735 "	"	15	110.25
John Conrad	316 "	"	15	47.40
Gerry	100 "	"	"	15.00
Henry Horstma	103 "	"	"	15.45
Phillip Schwalm	100 "	"	"	15.00
Haverly	140 "	"	10	14.00
"	45 "	"	15	5.75
Daniel Bowen	90 "	"	10	9.00
J.C. Davis	35 "	"	"	3.50
Kennerman	6 "	"	15	.90
Mrs Lanagan	15 "	"	10	1.50
		Total		$353.35

Respectfully submitted,
E. L. Brackenridge
C. E.

Which report was read and ordered

placed on file

City Clerk presented 3 affidavits of John W. Lampe, contractor for grading and planking the sidewalks on Lasselle street from Grove street to Kenna street, and praying that Precepts be issued against

Lot No 2, Lasselleville owned by Francis L. Furole to secure the same

" " 1/4 " " " Xavier Valrois "

Which affidavits were recd and ordered filed and Clerk instructed to issue the Precepts prayed for.

City Clerk presented 2 affidavits of John W. Lampe, contractor for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Lasselle street from Clay street to Monroe street and praying that Precepts be issued against

Lot No 198 Lewis Addition, owned by Byron G. Thompson to secure the same

" " 182 " " " "

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the Precepts prayed for.

City Clerk presented an affidavit of John W. Lampe, contractor for constructing a double plank sidewalk on the East side of Lasselle street from Division street to Jefferson street, and praying that a Precept be issued against the North forty (40) feet of

Lots No 25, 26, 27, 28 & 29. Spencer's Addition owned by John Ainright, to secure the same

Which affidavit was received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue Precept prayed for.

City Treasurer presented his Report of receipts and disbursements for the month of December, 1873, reporting as having on hand at the commencement of said month, December 1st,

The sum of $ 9,623

He has received from Tax Collector, 1,114.62

" " " License, 110.00

" " " Collector's Fees, 7.00

" " " Fines, 1.00

" " " Interest, 3.00

" " " Sale of Lots, 2.00

" " " Refunding Sidewalks 311.11 $ 1,548.73

He claims a Credit for

Paid City Orders Red $ 1,000.00

Balance on hand 548.73 $ 1,548.73

Which Report having been previously examined by the Committee on Finance, and endorsed by said Committee as being correct, was received and placed on file.

Chief of Police submitted a report stating the number of Lights lit during the month of December to be 90.

Which Report was referred to Committee on Gas.

Bond of John E. Robbins as Patrolman received in the faithful discharge of his duties as such Officer, with Fred Eckert and John McCartney as securities.

Which Bond was approved, and ordered placed on file.

Report received from E. G. Pens. City Assessor, recommending the appointment of Henry Penz as Deputy Assessor to assess Personal Property

Whereupon Council to confirm said appointment

On motion said Report was laid on the table. On motion of Mr. Morgan was taken from the table. On motion of the same gentleman the report was concurred in and the appointment confirmed in.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Department be required to report at next regular meeting the progress of the bell for 7th Ward Engine House,

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following:-

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue orders to the amount of Ninety Dollars and Seventy-five cents ($90,75) in favor of the Fire Department to pay the balance of expenses incurred at Annual Parade of the same, in October 1870.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:

Whereas John Lillie & Co. have lost money on the grading of Hanna street previous to graveling, and have considerable trouble in disposing of the Waste earth,

Resolved That the said Lillie & Co., be allowed to retain the amount of funds received by them from the sale of said dirt, in addition to their contract price.

Which Preamble and resolution was on motion laid on the table.

Mr. Carier moved to adjourn, which motion was lost.

Councilman Hogan offered the following:-

Resolved That the City Treasurer be instructed to grant an extension of time until next May in the collection of the assessment for sidewalks on Kolrick street, heretofore reported against Mrs. Iba, by Board of Commissioners

Which resolution was adopted, and Clerk ordered to notify Treasurer.

Communication from Mayor offered & read.

Resolved, – That Hon. D. P. Randall Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne be authorized and empowered to vote the stock owned by the City of Fort Wayne in the Fort Wayne, Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road Company at any and all meetings of the Stock-holders of said Company until otherwise ordered by the Common Council of said City.

Which motion was concurred.

Communication from Mayor offered & read.

Resolved, – That a committee of three be appointed to confer with a committee of the Board of Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne, and report to the approval of this Council.

Which motion was adopted, and the Chair appointed the following named gentlemen to said committee: Messrs. Hedekamp, Catlett and Pixley.

The following Claims were allowed.

E. L. P. Williard	Street Expense		
L. S. Lagro			
D. M. Rumsey			
C. H. Zollinger	General	"	
Jno. Phillabaum	"	"	
James Lillie	Police	"	14 50
Ernst Bartles	"	"	
" "	Market	"	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
J. C. Shimer	Fuel	"	
Morgan & Beach	Fire Wood	"	

No further business, Council adjourned.

Read, Approved and signed in Open Council this 24th day of Jany. 1871

Attest,

Chas. F. Freeman,
Clerk.

D. P. Randall
Mayor.

CITY OF FORTWAY, [illegible]
REGULAR SESSION.
January [illegible]

Council met Pursuant to adjournment, Present, his Honor [illegible] in the Chair, and Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Des-[illegible], [illegible], [illegible], Keegan, Kedekin, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Thuyock, [illegible], Ivers Underhill and Wadington 115 Absent, Hutchinson [illegible] and Trier 3.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petition received from A. H. Hamilton, Executor of the estate of [illegible], deceased, representing that 12 43/100 acres of land belonging to the estate had been appraised for 1870 at $3.2000, and the improvements thereon at $10,000. The ground is used for raising fruits, &c. Petitioner further represents that no part of it has been laid out into city lots, although some of it has been leased, the lessees owning the improvements thereon. The law provides that not more than five acres of farming land shall be assessed for city purposes. The executor is willing to compromise by having five acres be appraised at one half the amount of appraisement of the [illegible], viz $15,000 and on improvements $10,000, making a total of 26,000, and on the property leased the lessees to pay taxes, also on improvements [illegible] ing the petition was the written opinion of Messrs Morris & Wilkes deciding that but five acres of said lands could be assessed for city [illegible]

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance in [illegible] tion with City Attorney.

Petition received from Wm Rosa owner of Lot No 2 Bonds [illegible] representing that the improvements thereon were assessed at too high a rate and petitioner prayed for a reduction, further representing that said improvements were not completed until May.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance,

Petition received from P. Nidlinger representing that the East 33 feet of Lot N° 139 and the West 20 feet of Lot N° 540, Hamra's Add[illegible] were unjustly assessed, on which he prays for a reduction. He also represents that he returned his personal property at $[illegible] to which the Board of Equalization added $1000, and states that the said sum added to his personal property be cancelled on the Tax Duplicate of 1870.

Which petition was referred to the [illegible] on Claims.

Report received from Committee on Finance which read as these words to-wit.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of [illegible]

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the petition in reference to assessment &c. beg leave to report that the petition was referred to the Committee on Finance to report how many deputies, Your Committee would respectfully report that the law makes it the duty of the Assessor to make the assessment of Real and Personal Estate, but it authorizes him to appoint one or more deputies to assist him in the performance of said duties; such deputies to be confirmed by the Council. We would therefore suggest that the Assessor be authorized to appoint [illegible] deputies to assist in the valuation of Real Estate of the City and when so appointed, that the Council confirm such appointment and that they allow at once Second, according to law, and assess the entire real estate of the city at a fair cash valuation. The gentlemen proposed to the assessor are well known to your Honor and many members of the Council, one of them having been City Assessor one term, and the other County Recorder, and are eminently qualified for the duties, and that they be allowed $5.00 per diem while making said assessment

Signed [illegible]

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to notify the City Assessor of the report and [illegible] of the Council.

Committee on Finance to whom were referred the petitions of Adam Ernsting and Gottlieb Schnieder, respectively, praying for remission of assessments on their respective property would report adversely to prayers of said petitioners.

[illegible] } Committee

Which report was concurred in by the Council

Also Clerk presented affidavit of James M. Ferguson contractor for constructing a 12 inch brick sewer on Wayne and Fulton, Lafayette and Fort streets, said affidavit stating amount to be issued against

Lot No. 5, Hanna's Addition owned by French & Corsmeier to secure the sum of $31.50 with interest from date of Estimate.

Which Estimate was received and ordered filed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the proper [illegible] for said contracts.

City Clerk presented an affidavit of John W. Vaughn, contractor for Curbing and Planking sidewalks on Lasselle street from Monroe street to Wayne Street, and praying that a precept be issued thereon

Lot No. 274 Lasselleville, owned by William Boerger, to secure the sum of $49.00 with interest from date of [illegible].

Said affidavit was received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue precept thereon.

Street Commissioner submitted following Estimate in favor of the City of Fort Wayne, done by Frank B. Kincade.

		No of		Assessment		Total	Addition
		Lot	Ft	Planking	Grading		
Mrs. Barbary A. Rowan		99	150	105 00	9 00	114 00	Hanna
City of Fort Wayne.	Cor. Barr & Washington		13	9 00	1 00	10 00	"

To the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

I have in compliance with your orders caused plank sidewalk to be constructed in front of the above described property, the cost of which is set opposite the several descriptions.

B. L. P. Williard

Street Commr.

I certify the above walks have been constructed according to grade.

C. S. Brackenridge

C. E. Engineer

Which report was concurred in, Those voting in the affirmative were Bradway, Cavin, Bessmer, John Goshorn, Keegan, Kudekin, Morgan, Schetz, Hoffe, Shryock, Tremmel, Underhill & Waddington (14) Nays, None. (0)

Street Commissioner submitted following Final Estimate in favor of City of Fort Wayne. for laying with stone, sidewalk on Columbia street.

Name of Owner	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Ft	Assessment for Sidewalk	Total	Addition
Johnnie & Catherine O'Connell.	The East 40 feet of	61	40	191 40	131 40	Old Fort

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:- I have in compliance with your order caused a sidewalk bordering on the above described property to be paved with flag stone, and the cost of said work is set opposite the description above.

B. L. P. Williard

Street Commissioner

finally ratify the above work for four years in accordance with the established grade.

C. H. Blackwood Jr.
C. C. Augier

Which report was concurred in.

Upon motion of Mr. Washington the order of business was suspended to receive a report from Special Committee, which was in these words and figures to-wit:-

To His Honor, the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen:- Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of conferring with the Township Trustee, in relation to having a correct enumeration taken of the inhabitants of the City, would report:

That we have effected an arrangement with said Trustee to have three competent persons appointed, each to take three wards and to take the whole enumeration in conjunction with the enumeration of the rest of the township, (which the statute of the State requires, the Trustee to have done between the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July,) thus enabling us to get the enumeration of the city taken at much less expense than it would otherwise cost. The amount the Township Trustee is permitted by law to pay per head, for each voter is ten cents, but your Committee have made a contract to have the balance of the enumeration taken at a cost of one cent per head, the voters to be added to the enumeration of the City, and also added to the lists in their proper places in books, free of cost to the city. The only additional expense will be the printing and preparing blanks and books, necessary to be used in the work. Your committee would recommend the acceptance of the Township Trustee's proposition, (it being as we think very reasonable,) and that he be requested to obtain the proper blanks and books and proceed as early as practicable to have the said enumeration taken in accordance with the contract made by your committee as herein stated.

I. T. Hudson
H. Hudson
H. B. Fisher

Which report was concurred in by the Council.

The question on the resolution was stated.

Resolved, That when the Council adjourns, they adjourn to meet on Thursday, the 16th day of February, 1871.

Mr. Carier opposed the passage of the resolution, on the ground that if Council done anything on the 16th it would be illegal, but he would propose that Council meet in regular ses-

1st Tuesday in February, and adjourn over until the 6th inst, and on which they should receive no pay. this being an amendment to the original resolution. The amendment did not prevail, and the resolution as originally offered was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following resolution:-

Resolved. That the Treasurer of the City of Fort Wayne be and he is hereby instructed to place on the Tax Duplicate the amounts due the city for putting down stone sidewalk on Columbia street fronting the East 40 feet of Lot 61 Original Plat to said City.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following:-

Whereas. Many boys of our city make a practice of occupying the sidewalks in playing marbles, and have been known in many instances to insult ladies as they were passing, and whereas the practice of playing marbles on the sidewalk by boys has become very annoying to many of our citizens. Therefore,

Resolved, That the City Marshal be requried to enforce the city ordinance in regard to the obstructions of sidewalks by boys, or otherwise.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-

Resolved. That Robert E. Fleming be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to vote the stock owned by the City of Fort Wayne in the Cincinnati Fort Wayne Rail Road Company, at any and all meetings of the stock holders of said company until otherwise ordered by the Common Council of said City.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-

Resolved. That the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway Company and the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company be requried to put down plank crossings on Wanna street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved. That the Treasurer of the City of Fort Wayne be and is hereby instructed to place in the Tax Duplicate the amount due the City of Fort Wayne for constructing plank Sidewalk on Barr street fronting Lot Numbered 99, Wannas Addition to said city.

Which resolution was adopted.

A bill of Hugh T. Kamas for grading [illegible] referred to Committee on Claims.

[illegible]

B.L.I. Willard	St. Exp.	54		[illegible]		[illegible]	
Nelson Thompson	"	20		[illegible]		[illegible]	
Emil Renot	"	21		[illegible]		[illegible]	
Henry Stiers	"	16		[illegible]		[illegible]	
John Lynch	"	16		[illegible]		[illegible]	
James Ryan	"	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]	
Morgan & Beach	"	35	70	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Sutermeister & Becker	"	131	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Daniel McKenny	"	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]	
B.L.I. Willard	"	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]	
John Lillie	"	12	50	Keil & Bro.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Frank. B. Kincade	"	124		[illegible]		[illegible]	
John Leeson	Fire Dept.	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]	
Wilson & Co	"	3	05	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Louis Rastetter	"	12	50	[illegible]		[illegible]	
J. Henry	"	2	50	[illegible]		[illegible]	
H.G. Wagner	"	16	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	
John Lynch	"	2		[illegible]		[illegible]	

[illegible]

No further business Council adjourned until Monday Feby 19th 1871.

Read & Approved and signed in open Council this 16th day of February, A. D. 1871.

Attest,

Jam. I. Freeman,
Clerk.

L. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE.
SPECIAL SESSION
February 16th A.D. 1871.

Council met pursuant to call of his Honor the Mayor. Present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair, and Councilmen Bradway Carnes, Coshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Trammel, Tower, Underhill and Wadington (14) Absent, Dessauer, Fisher Hutchinson & Prentiss (4).

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petition received from W. B. Douglass, representing that the improvements on Lot No. 643 Kannas Addition is too highly assessed and praying for reduction of taxes on the same.

Which Petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition received from George Murphey representing that the improvements on Lot No. 32 Wills Addition is assessed at $300 Wills no improvement of any kind exists on said lot and petitioner prays that the taxation on said improvements be cancelled.

Which Petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition received from Y. B. Bond, et. al. praying Council to take some active measures to prevent the trains being allowed to stand on the track of the T. W. & W. R. W. where Fairfield Avenue crosses track. Also, to have a switchman stationed at crossing over said rail road at said point, and also where the track of the P. F. W. & C. R. R. crosses said Avenue.

Which Petition was referred to Com. on Streets.

Petition received from N. C. Miller et. al. praying for construction of Street crossing on Fairfield Avenue, where Bass Holerick steets intersects said Avenue.

Which Petition was granted and street Commissioner instructed to put down said crossings.

Petition received from property holders on Clark's Farmers and Bowsers Addition, and Out-lot No. 5, in Bloomingdale praying the opening of a street 50 feet in width through Out-lot No. 5 to connect with Douglass st. which runs east and west between said Farmers and Bowsers Addition east of said Out No. 5, and the street running east and west through Clark Addition west of Out-lot No. 5

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Remonstrance recd from George Stoddell & Peter Heith praying against the opening of Douglas Street, in Flemingdale unless they, the petitioners receive pay &c: damages in opening said street, to Out-Lot No 5. &c.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition recd from [illegible] praying for reduction of Assessment on the NE 20x60 ft of Lot 99 County Addition

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Chairman of the Committee on Fire Department submitted the following

To the Hon. Mayor and Gentlemen of the Council.

Gentlemen, [illegible]

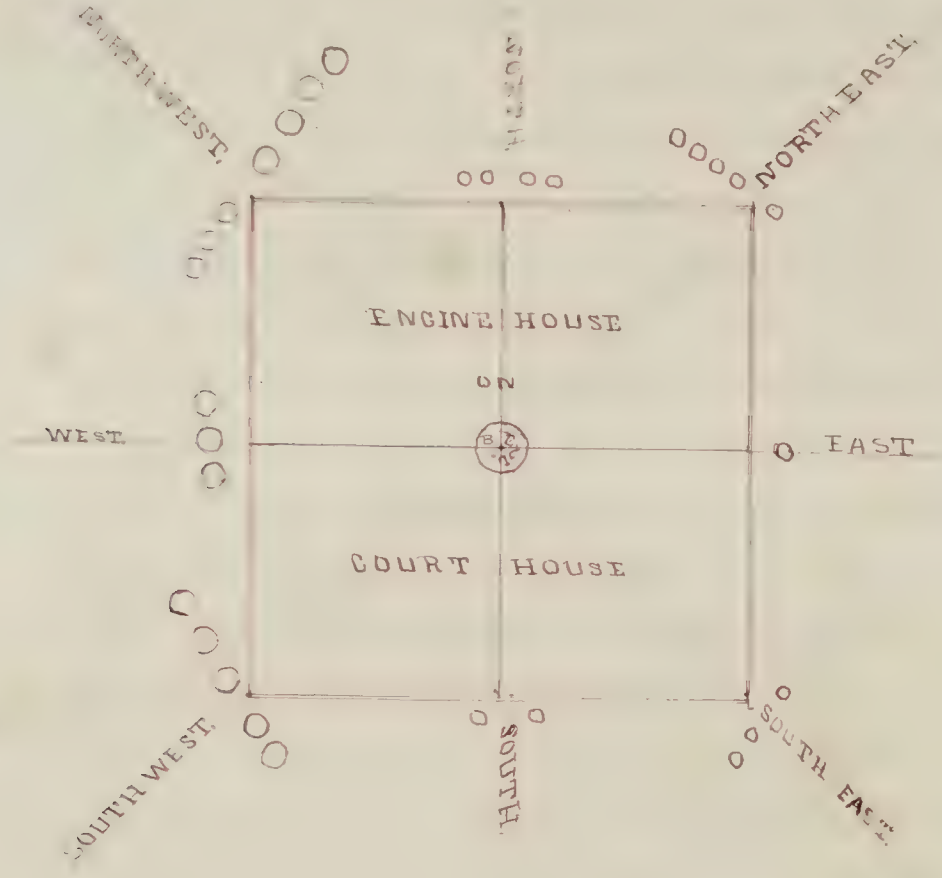
Frequently asked by members of the Fire Department if some means could not be devised whereby the great annoyance occasioned at an alarm of fire, in not being able to ascertain its true directions location.

It is an ascertained fact that at the toll of the bell, the men of the several companies with their usual promptness repair in all haste to, and arrive in a semi-exhausted anxious state at their respective Engine or Truck and Carriage Houses, but are ignorant of the true direction or location of the fire. They may, and do frequently enquire of the first they meet "Where is the fire?" and the answer is up this or down that street; which may be in a contrary direction from the fire. After the Firemen have gone a few squares they are going the wrong direction, and retrace their steps, and yet may not be properly informed as to the true direction of starting. The consequence is much valuable time is lost, to the annoyance and injury of some of our citizens. Many instances have occurred to verify this statement.

I have given the matter my earnest and serious attention and have come to the conclusion that the evil if possible to be remedied, but as to the best mode was to me a matter somewhat difficult of solution.

The introduction of Fire Telegraph would be the most certain, but owing to the present Financial condition of our city, I cannot now recommend this. The next best method that suggests itself to my mind is that the direction be indicated by the tolling of the bell. This cannot be done successfully by tolling the number of the ward, but in my opinion may be, by the adoption and application of signals by the bell, in accordance with a code diagram

Chart which I respectfully submit for your consideration and may be obtained [illegible]



The Engine House may be considered the first point from which an alarm proceeds and may also be considered the central or main alarm, when; an alarm is given, one continuous tap of the bell with no intermission will indicate the direction as due East; Two taps with slight intermission due South; Three taps with slight intermission due West; Four taps with slight intermission due North. — When the fire is in the South-east direction, one tap with interval followed by two taps, with intermission slightly increased, and so as to the other points according to chart. The fire bells at other points are expected to repeat this signal.

This plan seems to me feasible and easily understood by the members of the Department; and would recommend the printing of a certain number of Fire Signal Cards, explanatory of the plan to be hung up in their several Engine, Truck and Carriage Houses, and a certain number of smaller cards, similar to the former, so that each member can procure one, and have it at all times in his person as a source of information and reference,

The plan here suggested has been hastily gotten up, and I have not had time to explain its working to all the firemen or foreman of the different companies. But the Chief Engineer and the few to whom it has been explained approve of it and are anxious for its adoption

The expense attending the introduction will not exceed Twenty (20) Dollars and may not be over Fifteen (15) Dollars.

But this small compared with the benefits to be derived. I would therefore earnestly recommend its adoption.

Respectfully submitted

H. H adington

Chairman Com. on Fire Dep't.

Which report was concurred in and the plan of signals adopted, as recommended.

Committee on Public Grounds in conjunction with City Attorney submitted quite a lengthy report as to the power of the City to sell the Park Roberts, which she had no right to do unless by permission of the Legislature, and the Committee suggested that the Attorney be instructed to go to Indianapolis and endeavor through our Senator & Representatives to have said body give said permission, also for permission to tax all property within the City. Which report was concurred in

City Civil Engineer submitted 4th Final Estimate for Grading and Graveling Wayne Street from Wayne to Clinton Street, in favor of John Lillie, (Assignee)

Graveling

Wing crossing at Jefferson st.	35 lin ft.		$31.50
" " Madison "	7		6.30
" " Montgomery "	6		5.40
" " Hough "	10		9.20
" " Herndon "	14		13.30
" " Wallace "	21		19.95

Grading

Herndon	12 C.y.	3.54	
Ditches	52 "	19.44	
24 C.yds of screened gravel for rep.		[illegible]	
2 days labor repairing		[illegible]	
1 " " "		[illegible]	
2 yds unscreened gravel		[illegible]	
21 days labor of extra man spreading waste dirt in lots.		42.01	
2 " raking in Jany 13th		4.00	$211.33

I Certify the above Estimate correct.

C. Brackenridge C. E. C.

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to issue City order to the amount called for to Mr Lillie.

Communication read from Thos. Mannix Chief Engineer

of Fire Department, stating that at the recent fire on Main Street Jacob Stegmeir a member of Eagle Fire Engine Co. No. 4 while acting at work in duty assigned him he lost one of his fingers. He further represented that Mr. Stegmeir was a poor man and he recommended that Council appropriate the sum of $35.00 for the relief of the unfortunate man.

Which report was concurred in, and Clerk instructed to draw an order on the City Treasurer to the amount of $35.00

City Clerk presented three affidavits of John W. Langohr, Assignee of Neal McKay and Co., for construction of a Double Ring Brick Sewer, 3½ feet in diameter on Barr Street, from a point 15 feet North of the Wabash and Erie Canal to a point 95 feet North of Duck Alley, and praying that precepts be issued against the East Forty (40) feet of the North One Hundred and Two (102) feet of Lot No. 1.

West 20 feet of Lot No. 4. Of the property of Benjamin H. Power, to secure the sum of $ 40.00

" " 1 " " "

and planking the sidewalks on Broadway from Berry street to Lewis street and praying that a precept be issued against

Lot No. 94, Rockhill's Add. owned by John Brown, to secure the sum of $75.00

Which affidavit was received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precept prayed for.

Also filed affidavit of [illegible] praying for an order for grading and planking the sidewalks on Broadway from Berry street to Lewis street and praying that a precept be issued against

Lot No. 245 Lewis Addition owned by John Zinn to secure the sum of $75.00

Which affidavit was received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue precept prayed for.

[illegible] filed report of [illegible] allowing claims against the City

[illegible]	[illegible]
From [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

was received, placed on file, and appointment-s con-

offered the following

That His Honor the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to detail at any time ordinances, he may be may deem proper, a patrolman, for the purpose of watching and of the city ordinances by the different railroad compa- trains are running within the limits of the city of Fort Wayne, by caus- said trains to stand still longer than the time allowed, at any crossing or crossings of streets, and report said violations by affidavit as soon as found

Councilman Underhill offered the following,

Whereas, The city of Fort Wayne, is very evidently paying about twenty-five per cent. on the dollar more for labor employed in doing our street work, to contractors, and for jobs of various kinds done for the city, for materials used in the different depart- ments, etc. than we would be obliged to pay if we had the cash to pay our orders when presented for payment. and

Whereas,- It is plain to be discovered by every person that will take the trouble to investi- gate, that it would be largely to the interest of our city tax-payers if the city council would establish some system by which the city would have money in the treasury at all times to meet every current expense by paying all city orders issued for the same at sight: and

Whereas, Our outstanding city orders amount only to about $55.000 at this time, Therefore

That the Committee on Ordinance be and is, are hereby, instructed to proceed to obtain propositions for the loan of $55,000, the interest wanted, to be stated, the city to issue her bonds for the same, payable in five years, and when such propositions have been received, the com- mittee shall lay them before the city council for adoption, and when so adopted, and the money received, the city treasurer shall advertise in all the city papers that he will pay, in cash, all outstanding city orders and that after thirty days from said time the city will not pay any further interest on said orders not so presented for payment-

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be, and is hereby required, to pay cash on the presentation of City orders, issued for current expenses of the city after he shall have given public notice as herein provided, and until otherwise ordered by the common council.

Resolved, That the City Attorney be instructed to examine into the matter and draw up an ordinance so as to carry out the provisions of the forgoing preambles and resolutions to be presented to the council at next meeting.

Which preambles and resolutions were referred to Com on Finance

Tower offered the following:

Resolved,- That the Board Commissioners be, and is hereby instructed to put

down steel crossings corner of McClellan and Baker streets.

Which resolution was adopted and the Clerk was instructed by the Clerk.

Councilman Ivers offered the following

Whereas, The house situated on Lot 8, Old Plat was destroyed by fire in the fore part of the year 1870. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the improvements and machinery taxed for said Lot No 8. O.P. for the year 1870 be exempted from taxation

Which preamble and resolution was referred to Committee

Councilman Ivers offered the following

Resolved, That the

Councilman Underwood moved to amend by striking out all after the word Resolved and inserting in lieu thereof the following, which amendment was accepted by the mover of the resolution as amended was adopted.

Councilman Ivers offered the following

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct a foot crossing across the alley running North and South between Lots one and four in Farmers Addition. The said foot crossing to cross said alley at the point where the street on the North side of Farmers Addition crosses said alley.

Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Ivers introduced the following

Whereas, The city of Fort Wayne has a tract of land at the present time known as the "City Park" from which the city derives no revenue, and which the city has not the power to sell under her present charter, and the city is now paying interest on the bonds given for said land. Now therefore be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that our Senators and Representatives in the Legislature be requested to use their best efforts to amend the city charter as to authorize and empower the Common Council to [illegible] said city park and to [illegible] the proceeds of the sale thereof in the discretion of the Council.

And Whereas, The Common Council heretofore passed an Ordinance for the extension and opening of Clinton Street [illegible] and other streets may hereafter be opened, Now therefore,

Resolved, - That our Senators in the Legislature be urgently requested to procure the passage through the Senate, of a certain bill ("H.B. No. 63.") being an act to amend Section Sixty two (62) 53, 55 & 56 of the City Charter which was introduced by Hon. R. F. Taylor, in the House of Representatives, and pass the same,

And Whereas, - There seems to be some difference of opinion as to the power of the city to tax more than five acres of land lying in one body within the city limits And Whereas There are tracts of land within the city limits of Fort-Wayne of from five to twelve acres which have thus far escaped taxation, and whereas, it is eminently proper and equitable that all property shall bear its just proportion of tax. Now Therefore

Be it by the Common Council of the city of Fort-Wayne, that our Senators and Representatives in the State Legislature be requested to have the city charter so amended that all property within the city limits may be taxed equally.

Resolved further, That in order to insure the passage of these needed reforms, or a part of them, the City Attorney be requested to go to Indianapolis and assist our Senators and Representatives in procuring the passage of these bills as well as to help in the drawing up the same.

Signed.

Wm Turi
P. S Underhill

Which resolutions and preambles were adopted,

A bill of B. H. Powers for Committee duties on Streets was referred back to the Committee.

The following Bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	$81		J. S. Goshorn ✓	(Sewerage) 13 Com Duties	$35	75
		28		M. Hedekin. ✓	(") 13) "	35	75
	.	28		J. B. Morgan ✓	(") 13) .	35	75
H Stiers	.	6		O. E Bradway ✓	(Police) (10 days) "	27	50
John Lynch	"	6		W. Wadington ✓	(") 5 "	13	75
D. McKendry	"	36		Wilson & Co	Fire Dept	10	35
Siemond Bro	General	25 60		N. Thompson	"	8	

E. Renot Fire Dept $8

No further business Council adjourned to council in course,

Read, Approved, and signed in open Council, this day of February A. D. 1891.

Attest

W. P. Freeman
City Clerk

A. P. Randall
Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
REGULAR SESSION.
28th
February A.D. 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment present His Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, [illegible], Goshorn, Hogan, Kedekin, Morgan, Stoll, Strick, Tower, Hunt, Hill & Wadington 12. Absent Carier, Hutchinson, Trentman, Trier and Tremmel 6.

Minutes of last meeting read, corrected and approved.

Petition and affidavit read from F. B. Wood et al praying that the assessment on Lot [illegible] and Lot [illegible] may be reduced. Petitioners state that said property was assessed for the year 1870 for $3,500 and that the amount was subsequently raised $1000. which amount they are prayed to be stricken off the assessment.

Which petition and affidavit was referred to the Committee on Finance with instructions to notify the Treasurer of the petitioners prayer.

F. Wirthlinger

Petition and affidavit of F. Wirthlinger praying to be relieved from excessive assessment placed.

On motion the prayer of said petition was granted.

D. K. Mc

Petition read from D. Nestle, et al. representing that [illegible] Dru is residing on Lot [illegible] of the Kinsinger addition a nuisance on the Pet between Jefferson and Wall-Street, consisting of a Pig Pen which nuisance petitioners pray Council to abate.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Schmidt

Petition received from C. Schmidt representing that the improvements on Lot 1 of Lots 454, 455 & 456 Hamm's Add., were destroyed by fire in the fore part of the year 1870, and petitioner prays that a reduction of assessment on said improvements for said year be made.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Wallburg

Petition received from Frank Cuny praying for reduction of assessments Lots No 10 11 & 12 Wells Add, together with improvements, alleging that said lots and improvements are excessively assessed.

Upon motion of Mr. Goshorn said petition was referred to Com on Finance

Petition recd from F. L. Fursle representing that Lots Nos 69 & 70 Kamm's Add, with their respective improvements were unjustly and erroneously assessed. He further represented that he had been paying taxes for the past year for improvements on Lot No 1 Jassonville, which is a vacant lot, without fence, well house or buildings of any kind, and he therefore prays the amount thus erroneously assessed, & paid by him, be refunded and placed to his credit.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition recd from D. Schaffer representing that the improvements on Lot No 30 Lewis Add. were erroneous assessed, and he therefore prayed for a reduction to be made

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition and Affidavit recd from Chr. Koegel representing that Lot No 29, G. W. Ewings 2d Add. was taxed for improvements, which was an error as none whatever existed on said lot; and therefore prayed that the assessment for said improvement be cancelled on Tax Duplicate for year 1871

Which prayer of petitioner was granted, and Clerk instructed to notify Treasurer of the deduction made.

Petition recd from D. M. Clark representing that Lots Numbered 1, 7, 9-10-17-20 & 22, in Clark's Add'n. in Bloomingdale were erroneously assessed for 1870, and he therefore prays for a reasonable reduction on said assessment.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition recd from Chr. Heffner for reduction of assessments on lot No 511 and the improvements thereon

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition of M. Ehrman recd stating under oath, that improvements did not exist upon a certain parcel of land lying in Bloomingdale, and on which he is assessed. He therefore prays for a deduction of taxes on said improvements

Which petition was granted, and clerk instructed to notify the Treasurer of the reduction made, on said improvements, amounting to $4.00

Petition recd from Chas. McCulloch, agent of his father, Hugh McCulloch, Esq., owner and proprietor, of the village of Greenfield, lately annexed to the city of Ft Wayne, representing that said

village was only about 6½ acres of farming land and was not used for any other purpose except Council to avoid the Cost of said village and to prevent Sales of the Lots.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

C. Bowers

Petition read from Lucius Bartel praying for reduction of assessment on the West ½ of East 11 feet of Lot 69 Kinnas Add. remaining Tax said assessment to be Legal.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

H.N. Ward

Petition and affidavit recd from Horatio N. Ward representing that he made an error of $2000 in returning the amount of his personal property for the year 1870, and he therefore prays that said $2000 be deducted from the amount returned by him.

Which prayer of petitioner was granted and the Auditor directed to notify the Treasurer of the decision made.

Petition recd from Henry Manning praying for refunding of taxes on the W. 20 feet of the East 60 ft. of Lot 231 paid for as same he alleges to be erroneously assessed.

On motion said petition was laid on the table.

J.C. Lehman

Petition recd from J. C. Lehman representing that Lot 72 in Kinnas Addition is unjustly assessed and out of this neighbors, and he prays for a reassessment

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

The following communication was recd, which was read and is as follows, to wit:-

Antwerp Paulding Co. Ohio.
February 22nd 1871.

Proposition from Antwerp

To the Honorable, the Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Gentlemen:-

I am directed by the Council of the Incorporated village of Antwerp, Ohio, to state to your Hon. Body, that in accordance with previous arrangements between your Fire Committee and Engineer and a committee from the council of Antwerp, for the purchase of a Fire Engine and a Hose Cart. Said village council would respectfully inform your Honorable Body that they would desire to pay for said apparatus in two equal annual payments, giving their notes for the same with interest.

Witness my hand and seal the day and year above written

P. H. Murray

Clerk

Communication was rec'd and ordered placed on file

Committee on Finance to whom was referred the petition of William Rosa, asking for a reduction of assessment on certain improvements on Lot No 2, Bond's Addition respectfully report that a deduction of $500, be made said assessment.

W B. Fisher, Chairman

Finance Com.

Which report was concurred in by the Council.

Committee on Finance submitted the following:

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of H Nordlinger asking for a reduction of assessment on parts of Lots 530 & 540 Hoaman Addition, and improvements thereon would respectfully report adversely.

W B. Fisher Chairman

Finance Com.

Report was received.

Committee on Finance submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of J. H. Lewis asking for a reduction on assessment of Lot No 99, County Addition would report that assessment on said lot be reduced to $350, instead of $600.

W. B. Fisher, Chairman,

Com. on Finance,

Which report was concurred in, and Clerk instructed to notify Treasurer of the reduction made.

Committee on Sheets submitted the following:

We, your Committee on Sheets to whom was referred the matter concerning the running of trains on the Rail Roads through the City limits have seen the proper officers of said corporations and they have promised us that they will future comply with the Ordinance relating to the same.

P. H. Treat, Chairman.

Which report was rec'd and ordered placed on file

Committee on Sheets submitted the following.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

We your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of George Mayers, et al praying that Douglas street, in Bloomingdale be opened and extended westward, would report favorable to prayer of said petition and would recommend that the Commissioners appointed as per Sec 63 be notified by the City Clerk to commence, after due notice assessing the damages and benefits to property caused by said improvement

B. H. Tower Chairman

Which report was concurred in by the Common Council.

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate for paving sidewalk on Clinton street opposite the North 20 feet of Lot No. 96. O. P. in favor of Jno B. Beson.

To Grading and paving with Brick the sidewalks on Clinton Street fronting on the North 20 feet of Lot No. 96. O.P. 20 ft. flagging @ 3/10 [illegible]

I certify the above correct and the work done according to contract.

[illegible] C. E. C.

Which Estimate was allowed and Clerk instructed to issue the warrant of said Estimates in City Order for [illegible] Dollars

City Clerk reported that he had [illegible] ordinances and resolutions relating to [illegible] different representatives of both the Lower and [illegible] and had recd a reply from Hon H. H. Taylor that House Bill No. 63, as amended had passed the Lower House, of which fact he had notified Mr. Bird, and asked him to [illegible] have it pass in the Senate.

Which was recd and ordered placed on file.

City Clerk asked what steps he should take in regard to notifying the Commissioners to extend Price street [illegible] pursuant to petition of Wm Mayers, and stating that [illegible] according to statement of City Attorney was not within the City limits.

His Honor the Mayor informed the Council that if Mr. Mayers consent was obtained, the Commissioners could commence and therefore did not need any action from Board of Commissioners

Clerk [illegible] reported the number of Permits not [illegible] during months February to the 10th No. running [illegible]

[illegible] resolved to come on Tax

Report read from the Board of Health giving a statement as to the sanitary condition of the city for the year ending Dec. 31 1870. giving the number of deaths during said year 320
No. of Deaths in 1869, 327.
Being a decrease of 7 Which report was rec'd & placed on file.

The Board also presented a petition praying for the appointment of three persons to serve notices for said board and presented a resolution, reading as follows:

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that there shall be an extra assistant Street Commissioner appointed to act from the 15th day of April until the first day of November of each year, whose duty it shall be to serve all notices from the Board of Health and execute all orders made by said Board of Health and suppress all nuisances that may be declared such by said Board of Health; the same to be done in accordance with the ordinances of the city now in force.

Upon motion of Mr. Underhill the petition and resolution was referred to Committee to be appointed by the Mayor. His Honor thereupon appointed Messrs Underhill, Wadington & Fishorn with power to act as they deemed best for the interest of the city.

An Ordinance to provide for the appraisement of the real & personal property of the city of Fort Wayne, for the year 1871, was introduced and read a first time. On motion of Mr Morgan, the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Keogan, Keedekin, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Underhill & Wadington (12) Nays, (none)
So the rules were suspended and the ordinance read by its title a second time now. On motion of Mr. Bradway, the rules were suspended and the Ordinance was read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Keogan, Keedekin, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Underhill & Wadington (12,) — Nays, none. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Keogan, Keedekin, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Underhill & Wadington (12,) Nays (none.) So the Ordinance was passed.

Councilman Stoll offered the following
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct crossing across East Pass Street on the South side of Second Street, and also one across Second Street on the West side of East Cass St.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to bring to grade and gravel Kansas Street from [illegible] to the Canal, so that the Fire Engines can reach the bank of the canal.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following
Resolved That the owners of Lots No 15, W. G. Ewing's Add. be given 10 days notice to remove the trees on Sidewalk bordering on George Street and bring said walk to grade, and gravel the same, and that the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed that if the owners fail to comply with said notice, that he will perform said work at the expense of said owners.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following
Resolved, That the owners of Lot No 44 Broadriff's Addition be given 10 days notice to gravel Sidewalk bordering on Broadway Street.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be authorized to have laid a four foot plank sidewalk; plank to be oak 2½ inches thick in front of Lot No 8, Broadriff and Ayres Addition in Kansas Street, Expenses to be charged to said property.
Which resolution was adopted by the Council

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be & is hereby instructed to give ten days notice to the owner of Lot 106, Wills Addition, to put down a four foot plank sidewalk; plank to be oak, 2½ inches thick to run by said lot in Kansas Street, and if said lot owner fails to put down said walk the Street Commissioner is authorized to put down said sidewalk at the expense of said owner.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to gravel the walk in the rear of the Ward Free School Building
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:
Resolved, That the Proposition of the Council of Antwerp

[illegible] be accepted and the Committee on Fire Department [illegible] instructed to make a contract [illegible] said Company & Committee.

[illegible] being taken on the resolution, Mr. [illegible] of Committee on Fire Dep't. Stated that a committee appointed by the Council of Aurora were willing to give $150 for the Chapman, $25.00 for the Kiser cart, and 45¢ a foot for the Galtin hose. The motion [illegible] was unanimously adopted.

[illegible] offered the following:

Resolved That a committee of [illegible] be appointed by the Mayor, to investigate and report to the Council what measures are necessary to build a foot path on the side of the bridge leading into Bloomingdale across the C. & Illinois River Bridge

On motion, an amendment was adopted so as to read Committee [illegible] and the resolution as amended was adopted,

The following bills were then allowed

B.L. F[illegible]	Streets	54	00	Jno. M Miller	Fire Dept	1	25
[illegible]		54		W. Hazlett	"	1	45
[illegible]		18		[illegible]	"	1	15
[illegible]		11		Chas. Young		2	
[illegible]		11		[illegible]		2	
[illegible]		9		Chas. Murr[illegible]			
[illegible]		2		Geo S. Miner		2	
[illegible]		18		George Kiser	"	2	
[illegible]		16		Jesse Leard,		2	
[illegible]		2		Henry Michaelis		2	
D. M[illegible]		24		- Nelson		2	
W[illegible]		40	22	Holt Fligger		3	
[illegible]		19	18	Henry Trees	(Police) Com'l Duties	27	50
W. D. [illegible]	Clerk	[illegible]		O.T. Braund,	(Spl 3d W. Cont. Elec) "	5	50
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]	"	5	50
T. W[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		J.T. [illegible]	"	5	50
[illegible]		[illegible]		J B Morgan	"	5	50
J.M. [illegible]		31	50	K H. Tower	"	5	50
[illegible]		31	50	[illegible]	"	52	25
Chas. [illegible]		38	75	[illegible]	"	52	25
[illegible]	Fire Dept	40	19	[illegible]	"	52	25
W.H. [illegible]		17	00	B.H Tower	Spel Police	5	50
[illegible]				[illegible]	Spel Police Com'l Duties		

Read No further business Council adjourned till Council in Aurora.

Read adjourned signed this 14th day of March, 1871

Attest Sam P. Freeman Clerk

Y.P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment present Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bunting, Cole, Powell, Tower, Coulon, Rowe, Peters, Morgan, Bishop, Lesh, Secretary, Treasurer, Town, Marshall and Clerk. Absent, Councilmen Hutchison, Trentman & Town 3.

Minutes of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition recd from T. A. Huber owner of Lot No 165 Rockhill Addition praying for reduction of assessment on said lot.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition of Wm. Beals recd praying for relief from excessive assessments on Lots No 168, 2169 Rockhill Addition

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition recd from M. J. Lauferty owner of Lot No 3 Ewings Add. representing that said lot with improvements thereon is unjustly and erroneously assessed and praying relief from same alleged assessment.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Affidavit and petition recd from Henry Olds, one of the firm of N. G. Olds & Son, representing that said firm was assessed $50,000 for personal property for the year 1876 which assessment was erroneous and further stating that at the time during said year did said firm have that amount of personal property, and affiant prayed that the same be stricken down on Tax Duplicate at the same amount as last year.

Mr. Morgan moved that the prayer of the petition be granted. Mr. Tower moved to amend by having the petition go to the Board of Finance which amendment was lost. The motion to refer to the Board of Finance which amendment was amended by referring the petition to Committee on Finance which amendment was carried.

Petition and affidavit recd from Patrick McCarty owner of Lot No 9 Cheek & Pruces Add. stating that said lot was assessed $100 for improvements which were never put on said lot and he prayed same to be cancelled

Which prayer of petition was granted, and Clerk instructed

to certify Expiration of the Reduction thus made, and if taxes paid to refund the amount

Petition read from N. G. Cobb Hon, et al, representing that Hall Street was in a bad condition, and in case a fire should break out South of the Rail Road, an Engine could not get over, asking relief, and praying said Street to be opened from Lafayette Street, South from Holman street to the Rail Road. Also suggesting that a fire cistern be erected on Lafayette Street South of the Rail Road.

Petition referred to C. C. & with instructions to examine Street and report the feasibility of putting in a sewer on said Street

Petition read from Henry Immer owner of Lot No. 110 O.F. praying that said lot and improvements were erroneously assessed and praying for a reasonable reduction

Which Petition was referred to Com on Finance.

Petition and affidavit read from Sarah Smith representing that when in making out her return for Assessor, she made a mistake in the same ignorant of such matters and that therefore prayed a reduction of $200 on Personal Property.

On motion of Mr Morgan the Prayer of Petition was granted, Some time was used in debate on the matter, Mr Morgan moved to reconsider the vote which motion prevailed, and vote reconsidered and petition referred to Com. on Finance

Report of Committee on Claims read, and on motion recommendations accepted

Report of Committee on Finance submitted following to wit:-

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council:

At a recent meeting of the Council a resolution was offered in regard to the City issuing Bonds for the purpose of raising money &c,&c., which resolution was referred to the Committee on Finance. Your committee would report that many reasons could be derived if we could place the city under a cash basis but under our present charter it is impossible to do so. Section 93 of the City Charter prohibits the City from issuing bonds and the only remedy your committee can see is in the Legislature changing the Charter and giving the City the right to issue Bonds.

Respectfully submitted

L. B. Fisher
A. H. Carter
Wm. Flueck
} Com on Finance

Report was accepted & ordered placed on file.

Committee on [illegible] submitted the following

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council

Your committee to whom was re-
ferred the petition of Fred Nagle praying for a reduction of assessment on
Lot and improvements and report that a reduction of $100 be made from
the improvements on Lot No 200 Kaumakapili

All of which is respectfully submitted

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to notify
ners of the reduction made

Committee on Finance submitted the following

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred
Ch. Isenberg the petition of Christian Isenberg, praying for a reduction of assessment
on the N'ly Lot 6 Sub. O. L. 12 in Ld Ct Div. 1 also Lot 3 Sub.
No 1 & N.E. 1/4 Sec 3 would report that the assessment on the said
described lot be reduced to $150. instead of $700. and that
the same be reduced to $450. instead of $900.

All of which is respectfully submitted

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to notify
Treasurer of reduction made

Committee on Finance submitted the following

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.

Your committee to whom was
C. Schmidt. referred the petition of C. Schmidt praying for a reduction of assessment
on improvements on Sub 1 of Lots 254-255 & 450 Kaumakapili would report adversely thereon.

All of which is respectfully submitted

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Finance to whom was referred petition of F. W.
F.W. Bushman Bushman praying for relief from assessment reported adversely to Prayer of Petitioner

Which report was concurred in

Com on Finance submitted the following report

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council

Your Committee to whom was re-
ferred the petition of C. Happier praying for a reduction of assess-
C. Haffner. ment on N'ly Lot 511 Kaimuki Addition & improvements would respectfully report that the assessment on the improvements be reduced $300 making it $2000 instead of

[illegible] and clerk instructed to notify [illegible] the reduction made.

[illegible] submitted the following report.

To the Village Common Council

Your Committee to whom was [illegible] petition of Charles Claibel praying for a reduction of [illegible] of Lot 624 of the E. 10 feet of lot 621 Harmon Add would respectfully report that a reduction of $150 be made

W. B. Fisher, Chairman

[illegible] in and clerk instructed to notify the [illegible] thus made.

[illegible] submitted following report.-

To the Village Common Council

We the [illegible] was referred the petition of Jacob Case asking for a reduction of assessment on lots 792, [illegible] 22 Clarks Addition in Bloomingdale would report that the assessment on each lot be reduced $50.00

Respectfully

W.B. Fisher Chairman

[illegible] in and clerk instructed to notify Treasurer [illegible] thus made.

[illegible] submitted following report,-

To the Village Common Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of [illegible], wherein he says that Lot 32, Wilds Addition is assessed for improvements $300 when in fact no improvements are on said Lot. Your Committee find the facts as stated in the petition and would report the amount of said assessment [illegible] from the [illegible]

Respectfully

W. B. Fisher, Chairman

[illegible] and clerk instructed to notify Treasurer of the action [illegible]

[illegible] submitted following report;

To the Village Common Council

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the E. Dahlman praying for a reduction of assessment on Lot 32 Harmon Add would respectfully report that the assessment be reduced $150 making it $1400 instead of $1550.

W.B. Fisher Chairman

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Finance submitted a report adverse to the Prayer
W. B. Douglas of Petition of W. B. Douglas praying for reduction of assessment on the
land and improvements of Lot [illegible]
Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Finance submitted a report according to the prayer of petition
[illegible] asking for reduction of taxes on lot [illegible]

Committee on Finance Submitted the following report
To The Hon. Mayor & Common Council.
Your Committee to whom was referred
[illegible] found the petition of Leidrich Schaffer praying for a reduction of
assessment on improvements of Lot 30 Lewis Add. and did report
that said assessment be reduced $200 making it $550 instead
of $750.
H. B. Fisher
Which report was concurred in & clerk instructed to notify
the Treasurer of the reduction made.

Committee on Finance to whom was referred Frank Curry
Frank Curry praying for reduction of assessment on Lot owned by him,
reported adversely to Prayer of Petition
Which report was concurred in by the Council

Committee on Finance submitted the following report.
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council.
Your Committee to whom was referred
[illegible] the petition of Hon. Hugh McCulloch would respectfully report that
we have made an examination and find that not only the land
of your petitioner but several other tracts and parcels belonging to
other persons was annexed to the City after January 1st 1870, and
your Committee of opinion that the City has no right to tax property that was not in and a part of the City on January 1st
1870. and such also is the opinion of the City Attorney which opinion
is hereto attached. Therefore your Committee would suggest that
all property annexed to the City after January 1st 1870 be stricken
from the Tax Duplicate and no taxes collected thereon for the
year 1871.

H. B. Fisher
N. H Carin
Samuel Shryock
} Committee on Finance

accompanying said report was the following Opinion of

A. Z. Ellis, City Attorney

To the Finance

Committee of the Common Council

Gentlemen:

Your note of a few days ago

[illegible] to the Power of the City to tax property for the year 1870, which

[illegible] into the City after the first of January 1870. All that

property must have been assessed for township purposes before it

came [illegible] into the City. It would not seem right that the

same property should be assessed in the same year for both town-

ship and City purposes. After having looked over the question with care

I am of the opinion that said property cannot be taxed for the year

1870.

Very Respectfully,

A. Z. Ellis,

City Atty.

Which report of the Finance Committee was concured in and

Clerk instructed to notify the Treasurer

On motion of Mr. Carier the order of business was suspended

for the purpose of hearing the following petition read.

To the Mayor & Common Council.

I desire to have that portion of the Ordi-

nance granting in the "Park Ground" so amended that we shall not

forfeit our right to it by placing our freight house, not to exceed

forty or twenty rods west of Wells street, and one passenger house

at any point we may prefer east of the above mentioned street.—

This is asked in the interest of the city it being inconvenient for

the shipping to be carted so far

E. B. Lewis

Prest. P. W. & C. R.R.

On motion of Mr. Morgan the petition was referred to a special

Committee to be appointed by his Honor the Mayor. His Honor, appoint-

ed as such Committee Messrs Morgan Carier & Stull.

The committee on Fire Department submitted the following:-

To His Hon. the Mayor & Common Council.

Your Fire Committee would report

that they have purchased a Fire Alarm Bell for the 7th Ward Engine

House which is now hanging in its proper place and ready

to record his name.

To Committee,
on Claims, } Committee.
& Accounts,

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Police & Fire presented resignation of Dan Meredith - Patrolman from 1st Ward, to take effect on the 15th inst which resignation was accepted.

Committee on Claims submitted following report:-

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of investigating into the merits of lighting up with gas the foot path across the St Marys River, leading into "Bloomingdale" would respectfully report-

That we find that lights are very much needed there to insure the safety of our citizens in crossing said bridge, especially on dark nights, We therefore would recommend the passage of the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Gas Committee be instructed to have two gas lights placed in the St Marys Bridge leading to Bloomingdale in such a way as to throw by light up the foot path of the same.

P. S. Underhill
Chairman Committee

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Claims submitted following report:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Claims have examined the account filed in the City Office of the number of gas lights not lit or burning during the months of December January and February would respectfully report-

That on examination of the accounts we find that two hundred and six lamps in all were found not lit; and that according to the contract with the Gas Company the cost of the number of lights not burning would amount to $30.75. We therefore would recommend the passage of the following resolution.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to deduct from the Fort Wayne Gas Light Co's Bill for the month of February, 1871 the sum of $39.75 it being in accordance with the contract now in force between this City and said Company.

P. S. Underhill, Chmn

Committee on Public Grounds through Mr. Underhill, reported orders that the bond for same was ready for the Council to commence ordering.

Special Committee reported as follows:-

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council.

We your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Board of Health, requesting that provision be made for the serving of notices on persons who neglect or refuse to remove or abate nuisances in accordance with Chapter [illegible] Special Laws, relating to the city of Fort Wayne, ask leave to report the following, to-wit:

We find after a careful consideration that a necessity exists for the same, and would recommend that the City Marshal or his Deputy shall be required to serve all such notices, and to visit the offices of the Board of Health once every day (sundays excepted) for the purpose of obtaining notices issued by said Board of Health, to persons having or maintaining such nuisances and to serve the said notices according to the instructions inserted, and to see that the notices is complied with, by the parties notified, and on failure to comply with notice that the City Marshal or his Deputy shall resort to such measures as he or they may deem most expedient for the removal of said nuisance and all to be collected as heretofore provided for in Chapter 19, Special Laws, relating to the city of Fort Wayne, and we further recommend that a fine of Five (5) Dollars be imposed for every twenty-four hours said nuisance shall remain. All of which is respectfully submitted.

D. A. Goshorn, } Committee.
W. Wadington, }

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to notify D. A. Goshorn.

His Honor the Mayor stated that he had recd an invitation from the municipal authorities of Covington to the Council and officers of the City of Fort Wayne, to attend the celebration of the completion of Holly Water Works at that place. Mr Bradway desired to know if "Dead Head" tickets were to be furnished, if not he was not in favor of accepting invitation.

Communication recd from City Attorney, stating that excavations on certain lots, were in a dangerous condition, and if any person should fall and get injured the city would be liable, and persons have to pay costs to Law.

Which report was concurred in and Street Commissioner instructed

to certify [illegible] to [illegible] amount [illegible]

Common Council [illegible]

Resolved, That the C. E. Engineer be instructed to [illegible] a Final Estimate in favor of John W. Laughlin for grading and planking the sidewalk on the East side of Kansas Street from [illegible]

Communication with also [illegible] C. E. Engineer submitting Final Estimate in favor of John W. Laughlin for grading and planking the sidewalk on the East side of Kansas Street from [illegible] which, upon motion, was referred to the Committee on Streets and Alleys.

Owner Name	Description	Lot	Block	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Remarks
T. A. C. A. & E. H. Mahon	Two North of	28	103	2	15	46	00	Kansas O. L.
Jaques Grenolette	" South " "	"	103	2	15	40	00	" "
Ulrich Reimer		2	52	2	09	23	02	Kansas U. L. Y. O. L.
John K Evans		5	[illegible]	2	09	23	02	"
J. W. Laurel	" North "	27	[illegible]	2	19	24	00	Kansas O. L.
Peter Moran		21	103	4	38	92	08	100	06	
Bridget Curtis	" " 31 feet	20	21	1	20	13	66	15	86	
Frank Luley		20	50	2	00	22	00	24	00	Kansas

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Scott

Adopted March 14 71 [illegible] C. E.

attest, Sam L. Freeman, City Clerk [illegible]

Which Estimate was allowed and order to said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as the Contract Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted Final Estimate in favor of John W. Laughlin, for construction of sidewalk crossings on Kansas Street, South of Rail Road.

N. E. cor. Herndon 7½ lin @ 70		$5.25
Street crossing at Herndon 20 ft @ 30¢		13.50
" "		13.20
Crossing for [illegible]	2 00	$34.75

Which Estimate was allowed and Clerk instructed to issue Order to the amount of $34.75 to the Contractor.

City Clerk presented nine affidavits of [illegible] B. Bevis Contractor for grading to a width of 12 feet and paving with

brick to a width of 8 feet and setting stone curbing on sidewalks on both sides of Berry street from Calhoun to ... street and praying that precepts be issued against

... Addition owned by William L. & Alexander H. Abbott, to secure the sum of $7[illegible]

... " " " " " 7[illegible]

... " " " " " 7[illegible]

... " " " " " 7[illegible]

... Wands " " " Wade C. Shears " " " " " 7[illegible]

... " " " " " 7[illegible]

... John E. Hill " " " " " 7[illegible]

... " " " " " [illegible]

Which affidavits were read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Clerk presented one affidavit of Jno W. Langohr contractor for grading and planking the sidewalks on Hoagland Avenue from Williams street to Dawson street, and praying that a precept be issued against

Lot 35 Johnson's Addition owned by John Pirrong to secure the sum of $16,35

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precept prayed for.

Also affidavit of same party for grading and planking the sidewalks on Dawson street from Webster street to Hoagland Avenue, and praying that precepts be issued against Lot No. 35 Johnsons Addition owned by John Pirrong to secure the sum of $54,60

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precept prayed for.

Also, an affidavit of John W. Langohr, contractor for constructing a wooden sewer in alley between Lots 381 & 385 Kearns Addition and praying that a precept be issued against

Lot Numbered Three Hundred and Eighty (380) Kearns Addition owned by Eliza Kearns, to secure the sum of $5.00

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Clerk also presented two affidavits of ... grading Main street opposite Lot 21 in Roswells Add., and also an affidavit of same party grading & planking side walks on Wayne street opposite Lot No 17, Campbells Addition. Which affidavits not containing the names of owners of lots

were ordered laid be ordered.

Treasurer Report No 27 to February 28th 1871 received and read as follows:-

To Balance in Treasury at last Report	£ 1,[illegible]
" collections for Dividends	1,[illegible]
" " Liquor Licenses	[illegible]
" " Dog Licenses	[illegible]
" " " Stallage	[illegible]
" " " Fines & Costs	[illegible]
" " " Public Taxes	[illegible]
" " " House Rent	[illegible]
On which has been credited by all Orders Returned	£ [illegible]
" " " Balance	[illegible]
	£ [illegible]

Which was duly [illegible] examined by Committee on Finance and endorsed as being Correct and ordered [illegible] adopted, by Every Ward; was read and ordered placed on file.

Councilman Wright introduced an Ordinance to grade sidewalks on both sides of Lewis street from Baltimore st to Pratt st which was read a first time. On motion of the same gentleman the rules were suspended so as to have a second reading to the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Hudson, Davis, Dorsey, Fisher, Gordon, Morgan, Hedrick, Morgan, Schaaf, Hill, Shryock, Tremmel, Tyson, Woodward and Wadington 15 days time. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read by its title a second time.

Councilman Hill introduced an Ordinance to close and extend Douglas street west through Col Gist's lot, which was read a first time. On motion of the gentleman introducing the same the rules were suspended, so as to have the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Hudson, Davis,

[illegible], [illegible], [illegible] Lynn, Newton, Simon, Schaaf, & Fox,
[illegible] Rockhill, Townsend Underhill and Lathrop Hall have this day
[illegible] [illegible], & I have this day delivered to said Ordinance
[illegible] & letters received from,

Councilman Underhill offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby directed to construct a steel crossing across Rockhill street on the North line of West Berry street.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Lang offered the following:-
Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne that the Street Commissioner be instructed to lay or cause to be laid without delay a [illegible] thick oak plank way on the South bank of the Canal at the foot of Monroe street eastward, so as to enable the Fire Department to get at all times a full supply of water from the Canal in case of fire in the vicinity and also to fill empty cisterns in the east part of the city.- The cost of said planking will be but a trifle in comparison with that of a cistern.
Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:
Whereas, The Contractor to whom the Contract for the construction of an 18 inch Brick Sewer on Pearl Street from Harrison to Ewing street was heretofore let has failed to enter into and perform said contract,
Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of said sewer in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer, and that the Board of Public Works be instructed to Contract for said sewer in accordance with the terms of this Resolution
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tremmel offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner give to owners of property bordering on the East side of Calhoun street between the Railroad and Wallace Street ten days notice to lay plank sidewalks, and if notice is not complied with in the time specified the said work shall be done by said Street Commissioner at the expense of said owners. Also, to notify owner of lot 52, corner of Calhoun and Wallace streets to straighten his fence from over the sidewalks.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Worthington offered the following:-
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to examine the alley running east and west from Lafayette street to Clay street between Lewis and Montgomery streets and report to the Council at its next meeting the most feasible plan of getting rid of the nuisance

[illegible] said ...
[illegible] adopted.

[illegible]

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify [illegible] of Lots No. 574 & 575 on West Water street Kannas Addition to Erie to [illegible] grade and gravel sidewalks fronting said lots and on failure of the owners to comply with said notice within ten days said work shall be done by said street Commissioner at expense of said [illegible].

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 10 days notice to owners of Lots Nos 30-32-34-36 38-40-42 & 75 North Side Addition to bring to grade and gravel the sidewalks fronting said lots on Cass [illegible], and upon failure of owners to comply with said notice, said work shall be done at expense of said property holders, by said street Commissioner.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give ten days notice to the owners of Lots No 49,-50-65,-66,-68,-69,-70,-71, bordering on Front street North Side Addition to bring to grade and gravel the sidewalks fronting said walks, and upon failure of said property holders to comply with said notice said work shall be done by said street Commissioner at the expense of said property holders.

Which resolution was adopted

Councilman [illegible] offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 15 days notice to the owner of the east part of Lot 565 in Kannas Add. to bring to grade and lay down plank sidewalk in front of said lot from Water street south to the Canal bridge; Said sidewalk to be eight feet wide and [illegible] not less than 2½ inches thick;- and a notice is contained in said work shall be done at expense of said property holders by said Street Commissioner.

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved, That a Board Crossing be constructed across Wells street where the sidewalk on the South Side of Brown street crossed said [illegible] street, and that the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct same.

Which resolution was adopted,

[illegible] Stoll offered the following:-

That the Road Commissioner be instructed to gravel the yard in front of School House known as the 9th Ward School House, and also, to gravel the sidewalk in front of said House on Marion Street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Slocum offered the following.

That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby instructed to place on the Tax Duplicate opposite the names of parties to whom dirt was sold from grade of Wayne Street by the City, the respective amounts as returned by the C.C. Engineer.

Which resolution, was adopted.

Councilman Woshorn offered the following.

Be it Resolved,- That the within described tract or parcel of land owned by Barbara Kleiber, wife of the late Christopher Kleiber deceased, be and is hereby accepted and acknowledged to be a part and parcel of the territory comprising the City of Fort Wayne, and be subject to the same rule as other real estate lying within the city limits and in all things be a part of the City of Fort Wayne and subject in all things to its jurisdiction.

The following described tract or parcel of land situated in the East half of the North-west Quarter of Section Twelve. in Township Three, North of Range Twelve East in the County of Allen-to-wit:

Two acres off of the South side of the twenty acre tract of land, conveyed to me by by Hanna and Eliza, his wife, by deed bearing date on the 14th day of November 1857 and of Record on folio 450 of Volume No. of the Records of said County of Allen, the said two acres of land hereby conveyed being bounded as follows to-wit.-

Commencing at the South west corner of said twenty acre tract and running thence North 84 3/4 degrees East ten hundred and ninety one (1091) feet to a stake; thence North 5 1/3 degrees west seventy nine & 65/100 (79 65/100) feet to a stake; thence South 84 3/4 degrees west ten hundred hundred and ninety one feet (1091) to a stake; thence South 5 1/3 degrees East to the place of beginning containing two acres of land.

State of Indiana,
Allen County. }

I, E. A. Rekers Recorder and for said County, do hereby that the above and foregoing is a full, true, complete and perfect copy of the description of the Real Estate in a deed of conveyance from Allen Hamilton to Christopher Kleiber as found recorded in Deed Book No. W, on Pages 170 & 171 of the Record of Deeds remaining in the office of the Recorder of Allen County State of Indiana, this 13th day of March 1871.

I have hereunto set my hand and Official Seal. E. A. Rekers Recorder, A.C.

which motion was adopted and said Commissioner Hoover was appointed by the Mayor in accordance with law.

Councilman Yeo offered the following

Contract for Sidewalks on Barr St. Resolved, That the Board of Street Commissioners be and is hereby instructed to cause a contract to be entered into with Mr. Doherty ordering on the East side of Barr St. from Jefferson St. to Holman St.; to grade and flag to a width of eight feet in width, said ordering to be done within 10 days from date of notice and in default thereof said Commissioners shall cause the same to be constructed and report to the Common Council for assessment against said property.

Which motion was adopted.

Councilman Yeo offered the following

Contract for Sidewalks on Lots 313, 314, 361, 362, 363, 364, 369 Harris' Addition Resolved, That the Board of Street Commissioners be and is hereby instructed to give 30 days notice to owners of Lots No. 313, 314, 361, 362, 363, 364, 369 Harris' addition to lay, grade and construct sidewalks in front of said lots and if not done by the property holders in that time that the Board of Street Commissioners cause to be laid said walks and collect the cost of the same from the owners of said lots.

Which motion was adopted.

Councilman Fisher offered the following

Crossing Resolved, That the Board of Street Commissioners be and is hereby instructed to make a plank crossing on the North side of Carroll Street at the intersection of Water Street.

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Yeo offered the following

Grading, preparing roadway, Maple Ave. Resolved, That the Board of Street Commissioners be instructed to employ such force as may be required to grade, prepare roadway, curb and gutter Maple Ave. and Fairview Street as the same are now graded.

Which motion was adopted.

Councilman Fisher offered the following

Paving gutters Resolved, That the Board of Street Commissioners be instructed to pave the South gutter on the East side of High Street to Ash,

Which motion was adopted,

Councilman Underhill offered the following

Hearing That the Board of Street Commissioners be and is hereby instructed

[illegible] and Wilson's Addition [illegible] sidewalks fronting said lots or [illegible] within ten days [illegible] that the city would proceed to [illegible] and [illegible] a lien on the lots [illegible] Ordinances made and provided and [illegible].

[illegible] carried.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

That C. G. Sheafer be and is hereby appointed assistant-Assessor of Real Estate for the City of Fort-Wayne, vice C. W. Allen resigned, with the consent of the Assessor.

[illegible] adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved,- That the Board of Commissioners be instructed to notify the owners of lots bordering on Lavinia street from Fairfield Avenue to Broadway to grade and plank sidewalks to a width of four feet within 20 days and in default thereof said Commissioner is further instructed to construct the same and report the cost thereof to the Common Council for assessment against said property owners.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following:-

Resolved,- That the City Clerk be instructed forthwith to give the necessary notice to the Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits [illegible] streets, to assess the damages and benefits [illegible] opening and grading of Price and Hanna streets.

The following bill was read by the Clerk.

City of Ft. Wayne

To The Baltimore [illegible]

To damages for destruction of sidewalks in front of Lot No. 92, on Barr Street within three years used by City for Market purposes.	$ 60.00
To damages to above lot and fences for 5 years, the result of [illegible] used for said Market purposes.	60.00
To use of said lot for " " for 5 years @ $25.00 per annum.	125
	$ 245.00

Which bill was referred to Committee on Finance.

Councilman Tower offered the following:

Resolved, That all for the the collection of assessment against [illegible] Original Hall in [illegible] shall hereafter be

[illegible] will be examined by Coroner [illegible] will be Supreme Court is ended.

That salary of the Commissioner now [illegible] Vegan, Nelson, Tom and Pederson [illegible] Bradway, Gauer, Nelson, Morgan, Chief, Hill, Stuart, Townsend and Carlisle (9) of the resolution passed adopted.

Bills [illegible] for [illegible] Corporation on Pay Roll was referred to Committee on Pay Roll with instructions to examine same and if found correct, authorize the Clerk to pay the same.

A bill of $2.75 for [illegible] was referred to Committee on [illegible].

The following bills were [illegible] allowed:

B.I.P. Williard	Stamps	[illegible]
Nels Thompson	[illegible]	James Vegan [illegible]
Emil Renol	[illegible]	Wm Hook [illegible]
Henry Stier	[illegible]	Pat McBrain [illegible]
Henry Schoppman	[illegible]	Carlin [illegible]
Mr Mitchum	[illegible]	Chas Tapp [illegible]
John Burtis	[illegible]	L McMenamy [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Printing	[illegible]
John [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nelson	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tom Carey	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
L. Dessauer / Mayor	[illegible]	[illegible]
Henry [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
John Scoggins	[illegible]	[illegible]

James Little [illegible]

The [illegible] Council adjourned to Monday next.

Clerk

Read approved and signed in open Council this 28th day of March [illegible]

Attest

[illegible] Pierce

City Clerk

H. H. Kendall

Mayor

CITY OF FORTWAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment; present, his Honor, Mayor [illegible] and Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hudson, Hogan, Peirce, Schoepf, Stoll, Shyock, Trier, Trennel, Town Underhill and Wadington (16) Absent, Messmer & Hutchinson, (2).

Journal of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition read from M. Hamilton praying Council to rescind resolution to lay a gravel walk along West side of Barr street between Lewis and Main streets, stating that the Estate of A. Hamilton, did not object to said walk and agree to put down gravel walk.

Which said petition on the table, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Underhill, Morgan, Stoll, Shyock, Trier, Trennel, Town and Wadington (9). Messrs Goshorn Hogan Peirce and Schoepf 4 voting in the negative. So the petition was laid on the table.

Petition recd from James Graham owner of Lot 125 O.P. stating that said lot is erroneously assessed and praying for relief [illegible].

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition recd from Geo. Dockler owner of 4 lots 344. Ayres Add stating that said six lots with improvements are erroneously assessed. and petitioner prays for reduction of assessments

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition recd from J. Perry for reduction of taxes on Lot 7 Blk 23 Barings Add. representing that said lot is erroneously assessed.

Which petition was refered to Com on Finance.

Petition recd from M. Weingartner praying for reduction of taxes on Lot 2 Blk 16 Barings Add.

Which petition was refered to Com on Finance

Communication recd from agent of Fire Extinguisher proposing to sell the City half a dozen of said Extinguishers

Which Communication was refered to Com on Fire Dept.

Affidavit & petition recd from M. Graff stating that he had

returned a stated sum the amount of his Personal Property for year 1870 which amount was increased One Thousand Dollars by Board of Equalization and the Petitioner prayed that the same might be reduced to

Which petition was referred to the committee on Finance

Petition rec'd from A. McCann praying for reduction of assessment on lots 1-3-9-89 & 100 Homestead Add. [illegible]

Which petition was [illegible]

Affidavit & petition rec'd from Amos Rockhill representing that he had been erroneously assessed on personal property praying that a reduction of $1,180 be made

Which affidavit was referred to Comm on Finance

Affidavit rec'd from Jno K. Evans stating that he had been erroneously assessed $15,000 for personal property representing that he was not a resident of the city, and he therefore prays to be relieved from paying said assessment

Which affidavit was referred to Comm on Finance.

A J Erwin

Petition rec'd from A. J. Erwin praying [illegible] compensation as Clerk of the Board of Health

Which petition was laid on the table.

Reports

Com on Finance

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for reduc.

Committee on Finance submitted following report.

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of M. G. Olds & Son would report that we have had an interview with Henry G. Olds one of said firm and your Committee is satisfied that the assessment of said [illegible] at $11,000 is the correct amount which they should return as personal property

[illegible]
[illegible]
Comm'l Stayner

Mr. Tower moved that the report be recommitted to Committee of the whole which was moved to amend by concurring in the report, Which amendment prevailed and the report was concurred in, and Clerk instructed to notify the Treasurer of the deduction thus made.

Recommittals to Com. were Bogan, Nedeken Scheef Hall Freitenmuth & Tower & Folkenberg & Goshorn Morgan Prentiss, Shryock Underhill & Washington &

Committee on Finance submitted following report.

N. J. Inspectors

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of M. J. Dunphy praying for a reduction on his assessment and respectfully report that a reduction

[illegible] on improvements on Lot No 3 Ewings Add[n] mak-
[illegible] assessment $500 instead of $1000.

[illegible] Comm

[illegible] correspondence, &c [illegible]

Committee on Claims submitted following report:-

Your Committee to
[illegible] Petition of J.L. Wade praying reduction of assessment
on Lots [illegible] Ewings Add, & Lot No 1 Lasselleville would respectfully
report that a reduction of $500 be made on the improvements on Lots 489 & 490
and that the assessment on Lot 1 for improvements be stricken from the
[illegible] on improvements on said Lot.

[illegible] concurred in & Clerk instructed to notify the Treas
urer of the reduction as read.

Committee on Finance submitted following report:-

Your Committee to whom
was referred the Petition of Mrs. Sarah Smith asking for a reduction of
an assessment would report that a deduction of $1,200 be made on the
assessment against the Jerome Property.

W.B. Fisher, Chrmn

[illegible] concurred in and Clerk instructed to notify the
Treasurer of the deduction made.

Committee on Claims submitted the following report:-

Your Committee to whom was
referred the Petition of C. Daley, asking for a reduction of assessment on Lot
102 Ewings add would respectfully that the assessment on the im
provements be reduced to $800. instead of $1100,

W.B. Fisher Chrmn

[illegible] concurred in & Clerk instructed to notify the Treasurer,
of the reduction [illegible] made.

Committee on Finance reported adversely to Petition of Wm.
Wade, praying for reduction of assessment on the Lot 167, & W 15 feet
of [illegible] Lot sold.

[illegible] was adopted.

Report of Committee on Claims submitted following report:-

Your Committee to
[illegible] the petition of Mrs Rowan claiming damages &c.
[illegible] her lot No 92 would respectfully report that that your
Committee [illegible] that as an act of justice Mrs. Rowan should
[illegible] be compensated for the use of said lot for Market Pur-

[illegible]

Councilman Steyer of Com Committee submitted following majority report.

Gentlemen of the Common Council:

[illegible]

Sara Rowan filed with the Clerk an account against the City for the sum of $245 for the use of her lot, No 92 in Fort [illegible] and the use of the sidewalk in front of, said lot and also damage to her fence all of which she says was used by the city for public purposes. That acc. was submitted to the Council and referred to the Committee on Finance, A majority of the Committee agree to allow [illegible] I, as a member of that Committee am unable to agree with the majority. The City has never contracted for the use of said lot for public purposes and has not in fact used said lot for any purpose. [illegible] has been used no further than other sidewalks adjoining private property. Sidewalks are built, not for private, but for public purposes and if a sidewalk happens to be used more than some other [illegible] no reason why the City should pay for the use of it. It would be absurd to do for us to say that the city must pay for [illegible] in front

I [illegible] City is not [illegible] to open streets as often as necessary to [illegible] and I think further, that we have no right to [illegible] of the public money.

The question being on concurring in [illegible] majority report of Bradway, Coarier, Fisher Goshorn, Prentiss Truman [illegible] (8). Messrs Hogan, Nedeken, [illegible] Steyer, Trier, Underhill (8). There being a tie vote this Motion [illegible] vote in the negative. So the Majority report [illegible] On motion the meeting [illegible]

Committee on Finance submitted following report.

To whom was referred the petition of Henry Arnold praying for a reduction on the assessment on Lot 110 Fort Wayne (City) would respectfully report that the assessment be reduced $1,100 making the assessment $3,100

[illegible]

[illegible] and Clerk instructed to notify the Treasurer & Collector.

Committee on Fire Dept. presented two Coupon Bonds of the Town, numbered one of One Hundred and fifty Five Dollars each, with interest, in payment of Hand Engine and said instruments, Marked Fund due April 1st 1872, and the second 1st 1873, Each signed by the Mayor and attested by Clerk [illegible]

[illegible] and Clerk instructed to file same [illegible]

Committee on Gas, reported that they had examined the bill of H. Rowe of $27.50 for 11 lamp posts and that they had advised Mr. Rowe to reduce the bill $5.00 and recommended that Clerk be instructed to issue order [illegible]

Which report was concurred in.

Special Committee to whom was referred petition of Officers of N. Y. & S. R. R. Co., praying for privilege of constructing Freight & Passenger depots reported in favor of granting said prayer except that they shall be required to build both the Freight & Passenger House on the East side of Wells street and in such location as shall least obstruct Wells street.

H. G. Morgan
A. H. Harris
Henry Stolp
} Committee.

[illegible] was received.

City Civil Engineer submitted following report:-

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council:- Gentlemen:-

At the last meeting of your Body I was instructed to make a contract with John W. Langdon in accordance with the terms of a proposal heretofore made by him for the construction of an 18 inch Brick sewer on Pearl street from Ewing street to [illegible] sewer.

I have waited on Mr. Langdon in reference to the matter and he refuses to enter into any such contract, He claims that the rejection of said proposal when originally made released him any further liability in [illegible]

He however, is willing to go on with the work provided he is allowed 10 cents per lin foot extra for the main sewer, which would be $1.59 per lin ft. This rate is a fair one and less than the next highest proposal.

C. J. Brackenridge, C. E.

H. G. Olds, et al asking for the improvements of Holman street from to Lafayette, and Lafayette st from Holman to R.R. fully report that said streets are in bad condition, Holman which on account of the large ditch running almost centre is dangerous and very nearly impassible

So far as Lafayette street is concerned, I could not recommend the present improvement of the right square as [illegible] same means are devised to improve the street throughout its

On Holman street the brick sewer should be extended from its present terminus on Barr street to the East line of Lafayette street. The extension to be of the same size and shape as the present sewer. It is impossible to repair the street until this has been done.

[illegible]

[illegible] instructed to draw up ordinance [illegible] with report.

City Com. Comm. [illegible] of Lewis Hickey for grading [illegible] #700.

[illegible]

[illegible] order to be [illegible]

[illegible] a member of [illegible] 1866 and hence is entitled to exemption from taxation to the amount of $500 assessment, and requests to [illegible] said taxes on Lot No 36 Williams add. since that [illegible] he had asked that the amounts thus paid be refunded him

Which report was read and ordered placed on file and [illegible] Auditor Treas furnished Clerk for officers of said Co. in the manner to will refund the amount thus raised

Board Commissioners resumed the following

[illegible] you instructed me to examine the alleys running East and West [illegible] and Clay street between Lewis [illegible] streets and recommend the grade be given and [illegible] to fill according to said grade.

B. L. K. Willard,
Ct Comr

[illegible] concurred in and Street Commissioner instructed to [illegible]

An Ordinance to open and extend Douglass street West through [illegible] Fifth Ward, was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carter, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Trammel, Tower, Underhill and Washington 16 Nays (none) so the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade and plank sidewalks on both sides of [illegible] from Main street to George street was read a third time, The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carter, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Trammel, Tower, Underhill and Washington 16 Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street to the width of twelve feet, from Calhoun street to Rockhill street and from the same to a width of eight feet with brick or in case of [illegible] stone, with stone curbing, was amended so as to read "College" street, instead of "Rockhill" street, and was then read a first time. On the passage of the Ordinance a recorded vote being called those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carter, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Trammel, ~~Tower~~, Underhill & Washington 15 — Mr Tower 11. After the passage of said Ordinance Mr. Tower rose and asked permission to change his vote, desiring to vote in the affirmative and thus the Ordinance passed.

An Ordinance to construct a Glazed Clay Pipe Sewer Eighteen (18) inches in diameter with the necessary Sand Pits, man holes and [illegible] on Pearl street from the East line of Ewing street to the present [illegible] sewer, was introduced and read a first time. On motion of Mr Bradway, the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. The vote being on the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carter Fisher Hogan Hedekin Morgan Schoepf Stoll Shryock Trier Trammel Tower,

Underhill & Wadington (14) Not voting, Goshorn & Prentice (2) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time.

An Ordinance to continue the Levying of Taxes for the Municipal purposes of the City of Fort Wayne for the year 1871. was introduced and read a first time. On motion of Mr. Morgan the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read by its title a second time. The vote for the suspension of the rules were Messrs Fisher, Goshorn, Morgan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Underhill, and Wadington (9) In the negative Messrs Bradway, Gaus, Hoffman, Prentice & Power (5). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time. On motion of Mr. Bradway the Ordinance was referred to Committee on Finance, Road in connection with [illegible]

[illegible]
the County
Resolved That [illegible] all taxes [illegible] as
[illegible]
[illegible] adopted.

[illegible]

Resolved That a sum of [illegible] be allowed to Jacob Steinmen towards compensating for [illegible] of time incurred by him while performing the duties of a fireman of the City of Fort Wayne when and where he received the loss of time this year.

[illegible] adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owner of Lot No 8 Bonds Addition to grade and flare to a width of Six feet with brick, the sidewalk bordering on said lot in Bonds way within 20 days from date of notice, and in default thereof said Commissioner shall construct same in accordance with City Ordinances

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to [illegible] a crossing on Lawson & Webster Streets

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Morgan offered the following

Resolved, That the Common Council appointing Robert E. Thomas [illegible] Fort Wayne in the Cincinnati Fort Wayne and Richmond Rail Road Company be rescinded and that Maurice Cook the former appointee and at present a Trustee of the Cincinnati Richmond and Fort Wayne Rail Road Company be authorized to vote the stock held by the City of Fort Wayne in said Company until further ordered.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following;

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be ordered to notify the owner of Lot 31 in Bowser's Addition to Fort Wayne, to bring to grade and gravel the sidewalk in front of said lot on Lafayette street, and in case said owner shall neglect or refuse to do the same within ten days after such notice then the Street Commissioner shall proceed to do the said work as provided by law.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following;-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to put a railing on both sides of Harrison street where the same extends into the canal to connect with the bridge across said canal

Said railing to be strong enough to prevent teams from getting over the banks

Which resolution was adopted,

The following bills were then allowed.

B.L.K Williard	Str Exp.	$54 00	H. Weibke,	St. Exp.	$36
N. Thompson	"	24	T. Howley	Fire Dept	11 37
E Kenol-	"	20	C. Ryan	"	4
Henry Stiers	"	22	A.P. Kyle	"	2 50
Henry Schoppman	"	24	W & B Canal	"	24 50
John Lynch	"	24	J.C. Bowser	"	44 63
[illegible]		24	J. Baker	"	1 25
Old Hemet	"	24	H.A. Read.	"	15 00
[illegible] Hull	"	12	Geo Link	"	5 19
[illegible]		24	P.F.W.&C. R.R.	"	2 02
Henry Brown	"	48	S. Shryock. (Alliance)	Com Duties	41 25
James Ryan	"	56	H. H. Carier	"	44
Patk McLain	"	36	W. B. Fisher	"	46 75
Wm Reid	"	36	J. B. Morgan, (Spcl)	"	2 75
Chas Pape	"	38	A. H Carier,	"	2 75
M. Cothrell	"	46	Henry Stoll,	"	2 75

Henry Trier	(Pub C'ds.)	Com Duties	$38 50	
Tim Hogan	"	"	15 75	
P. S. Underhill	"	"	1 00	
Patk. Ryan		Public Cr'ds	19 75	
Con Cull		"	1 00	
J. & K. Baker		"	35 00	
Ft. W. Gas Co.		St Lights	485 22	
			574 50	
Baker & Co	Streets		$45 24	
		City Teams Cr.		$45 00

No further business Council adjourned

Read approved & signed in
Com Council this 10 day April 1871

Attest

Com Freeman

City Clerk

[illegible]

Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met in regular session at the Council Chamber in the City of Fort Wayne on the 14th day of May 1917 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. Pursuant to adjournment. Called to order by President Hamilton in the Chair, and Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Tremmel, Underhill & Absent- Keegan, Hutchinson Schoeff and Worthington.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petition read from Conrad Neireiter owner of Lot S.E. corner of Clinton and Griffith Streets praying that the planking of sidewalk on Griffith Street may be exempted therefrom.

Mr. Morgan moved to lay said petition on the table, Mr. Goshorn moved to amend by referring said petition to Committee on Streets, which motion was carried did not prevail. The original motion as offered by Mr Morgan was then duly prevailed, and the petition was laid on the table.

Petition read from Wm. Gray praying for a reduction of assessment on the North 90 feet of Lot 6 block, 28. Ewings Add. On motion said petition was laid on the table. Those voting in the affirmative were Dessauer, Goshorn, Trier, Tremmel, & Underhill. (5) To the negative Bradway, Fisher, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shryock & Tomei (8).

Petition read from Geo. DeWald, owner of "DeWald Square" representing that the alley and improvements therein is erroneously assessed and praying for a reduction of $1.500

Mr. Dessauer moved to lay the petition on the table. Mr. offered an amendment to the effect that the petition be referred to Committee on Streets. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Carier Dessauer Goshorn Trier Tremmel & Underhill (6) Messrs Bradway, Fisher, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shryock & Tomei voting in the negative. So the petition was referred to said Committee. On motion Mr. Morgan laid the petition on the table.

Petition read from [illegible] praying Council to assume the cost of constructing cement sidewalk on Barr street, the petitioners to pay.

Mr. Stoll moved to lay the petition on the table, Mr. Prentiss offered an amendment by referring the petition to Committee on Streets. Those voting in favor of the amendment were Messrs Bradway

Messrs Hedekin Morgan Stoll Shryock Trier & Underhill & the Honor, the Mayor having the deciding vote cast it in the negative and so the petition was not referred. Mr. Morgan moved that the Petition be laid on the table, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Dessauer Hedekin Morgan Stoll Shryock Trier & Underhill (7) Messrs Bradway Fisher Goshorn Prentiss Tremmel & Tower (7) voting in the negative Tie being a tie vote the Mayor cast the deciding vote in the affirmative and the petition was laid on the table.

Petition of [illegible] asking Council [illegible] Orders passed before [illegible] Stoll and asking Council to repeal Ordinance [illegible] and asking [illegible] said street.

Petition laid on the table.

Petition read from Mr. Miller, asking Council not to pass an Ordinance to construct a drive on that part of Canal street to Harrison st bridge

Mr. Dessauer moved to lay petition on the table. Mr Underhill moved to amend by having the matter referred to Com on Streets, Alleys &c. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Goshorn Stoll Shryock Trier Tremmel & Underhill (6) Nays Bradway, Carter, Dessauer, Fisher, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, & Tower (6) So the matter was referred, and on motion of Mr. Morgan the Remonstrance was laid on the table.

Affidavit of Jno M. Miller, read who under oath, states that Lot No 97 Sub 6 Old Plat, is assessed for $350, improvements for [illegible] no improvements exists and the Grass for a [illegible] and that [illegible] be removed.

Affidavit ordered filed and Clerk instructed to notify Mr. Treamer.

Affidavit & Petition read from Mary Graf [illegible] oath states that he returned $40.50 as [illegible] which amount thus raised the grass to be cancelled, and [illegible] on same reminded him.

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to refund in City Order to Mr. Graf the amount [illegible] for.

Affidavit read from Jno. K. Evans, who states in

[illegible] was on motion laid on the table.

Affidavit & Petition recd from Emily Rockhill, stating under oath, that her personal property for 1870 was assessed too high & She prays for a reduction of $1.150 for said year.

Which affidavit was recd and ordered placed on file, and Clerk instructed to refund $2.50 to Mrs Rockhill, in City Orders.

[illegible] moved that Council adjourn, which motion was lost.

[illegible] recd from C. Pollard stating under oath [illegible] which sum was raised $200, and he prays that the amount thus raised be cancelled, and $4, refunded him.

[illegible] placed on file and Clerk instructed to [illegible]

[illegible] C Zollars stating under oath that the City Assessor returned the correct amount of his personal property, but to which sum the Board of Equalization added $2,000 and the amount thus raised he prays to be cancelled

Which Prayer & Petition was granted and Clerk instructed to [illegible] Treasurer [illegible] accordingly.

Affidavit & Petition of Jacob Gutting recd, stating that the assessment on his personal property had been raised $200, and the Board of Equalization had added $1400 to Part of Lot 57, O.R. which was unjust and he therefore prays a reduction of the amounts [illegible]

[illegible] referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition recd from R. S. Taylor, praying that vacant lots on South side of Maynard St. Property of the minor heirs of W. Rockhill, decd lying between Rockhill & College, may be exempted from having side walks constructed in front of same.

Ald. Tower moved to lay Petition on the table, Ald. Underhill moved to amend, by leaving the matter referred to Committee on Streets, which amendment did not carry and upon motion of Ald. Tower it was laid on the table.

The following was recd from the members of Kekionga Base Ball Club of Ft Wayne.

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne
Indiana:

Your petitioner, [illegible] the Kekionga Base Ball Club, Lots, Numbered, 51-53-54 [illegible] 38 59-60 61-62-63 70-71 72-73-74 75 76 77-78-79 90, 91, 92 83-84 85-86 87-88-89-90 & 91 in Rockhills 2d addition to the City of Fort Wayne, [illegible] ground for the purpose of playing Base Ball Contests and lawful athletic games; that said lots are near to and adjoining to the East of said addition, all lie in one body and outside of the settled limits of said city; that it is necessary in order to use said ground to temporarily fence up and obstruct a portion of the streets in addition that such obstruction will not inconvenience the residents of said city or the public that the streets to be closed have not been used as highways at the point where the fences are to be built. In pursuance of said lease the said Kekionga Base Ball Club inclosed said ground with a board fence and used the same as a ball ground last Summer. They desire to use it again for the same purpose this summer and the Allen County Agricultural and Horticultural Society also desire to obtain the use of said ground for the purposes of fair and exhibitions. During the past year some persons residing in that vicinity who have been in the habit of driving at will over the ground when unenclosed have objected to the maintenance of the inclosure. It is very desirable that questions of this kind should be put at rest, and that the parties hereafter use the ground should have definite and competent authority for so doing. I have examined the question with some care and am of opinion the purposes for which the grounds are proposed to be used are of well recognized public utility, and that it is entirely within the power of the Common Council to authorize a temporary occupation of the streets for that purpose, provided the substantial convenience of the citizens is not interfered with. And I request that an order granting such permission be made by the Council.

W. E. Taylor.
Petitioner.

Which petition was read and ordered placed on file.

The Clerk of Publication was read, and showing by that due notice had been given in a newspaper of general circulation the following order was offered.

Ordered by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort

Comm. that the Kekionga Base Ball Club be and they are hereby authorized to inclose with a suitable board fence the necessary lots in Rockhills Second Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, to-wit: Lots numbered 51-53 54-55, 56-57, 58, 59 60-61 62-63-70 71 72 73-74-75-76 77 78-79-80-81-82 83-84 85-86-87 88 89 90 91, and to embrace and occupy in said enclosure so much of the public streets in said addition as are embraced within the lines bounding said lots for the period of two years from the first day of April 1871, such enclosure to be used for the purpose of playing Base Ball, cricket and other athletic out-door games, and for the purpose of Agricultural and Horticultural Fairs and Exhibitions and for the purposes aforesaid so much of the public streets as are necessarily embraced in said inclosure are hereby vacated for and period of two years from the first day of April 1871

Provided that it shall be the duty of said Kekionga Base Ball Club before occupying said streets to put in a good state of repairs for public travel such other streets in said addition as will furnish sufficient avenues of public travel to take the place of those embraced in said inclosure without substantial inconvenience to the public.

Which order was adopted by the Council.

Came now Chas Wallmath and presented the following:.

The City of Fort Wayne
Official Bond.

State of Indiana } ss
County }

Know all men by these presents

That we Charles Wallmath and Henry Weigman of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals and dated this 29th day of March 1871

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Chas Wallmath was on the 28th day of March 1871 duly elected by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, to the Office of Patrolman in and for the said City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term until his successor is elected and qualified

Now if the said Charles Wallmath shall well, truly, faithfully and satisfactorily discharge the duties of his said Office, and pay over according to law all moneys that may, by virtue of his said Office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full

from and effect in law.

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seals, the day and year above written.

Thos. Markham.

H. Wigmore.

Reports of Com on Finance

Which Bond, along with certificate [illegible]

mo to take pet from Table.

Mr. Goshorn moved to take [illegible] from the table. Which motion did not prevail.

Com on Finance submitted the following

Geo Doebler

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Geo. Doebler, praying for a reduction of assessment on Lots 3 & 4. Ayres add.n would respectfully report adversely thereto.

H.B. Finder, Chairman.

Which report was accepted.

Hieingartner

Your Committee on Finance submitted the following. Hieingartner owner of Lot 2, Block [illegible]

Which report was accepted.

Committee on Finance submitted the following.

J. Perry

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of J. Perry asking for a reduction of assessment on Lot 7 Block 23 Ewings add.n would report that the assessment be reduced $300, making it $1200 instead of $1500

H.B. Finder, Chairman

Which report was accepted.

Committee on Finance submitted the following.

Jas Graham

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Jas. Graham for a reduction of assessment on Old Plat would respectfully report that the assessment be reduced $[illegible] making it $2000, instead of $2,250

H.B. Finder, Chairman

Which report was accepted.

On loan

Committee on Finance submitted the following.

Gentlemen of the Council:

Your Committee on Finance to whom in connection with the Mayor & City Attorney was referred an ordinance providing for a loan of money for certain purposes have now to report that they with the Mayor and [illegible]

[illegible] carriage, said Ordinance and now report- the same back with a proposed amendment- as follows:- after the word "the" in [illegible] first section of the Ordinance strike out- all to the word "of" in the 4th line of said section and insert- instead "current expenses of the City for the Fiscal year commencing on the first day of June 1871, and ending on the first day of [illegible]" And when so amended we recommend its passage.

W.B. Fisher,
A.H. Carier,
Samuel Huyck.

Which report was concurred in.

Commissioners appointed to appraise property benefitted by the opening and extension of Cass street submitted

To the Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

In accordance with previous notice from your City Clerk, we have met in the Council Chamber of Fort Wayne this 31st day of March 1871 to assess the benefits and damages accruing to property through whose real estate the street should pass opening and extending Cass street from its present Southern terminus to the St Mary's Bridge and having viewed the premises we find

1st That the strip of land to be taken for said extension fifty feet wide and one Hundred and Fifty three feet long is of the value of $100.

2d We find that no part of said sum should be borne by the city.

3d We find that a parcel of land lying west of the proposed extension fifty feet South of the center of the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road track, being an angular shaped piece of land 109 feet on Wells street, on the proposed line 111 feet, and on the North side 75 feet; is benefitted to the amount of $100.

Said last land belongs to S. B. Bond, Charles D. Bond, and William Fleming and William H. Jones jointly. All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. C. Davis
John H. Hill
[illegible]
R. C. Filson
B. H. Trentman
} Commissioners.

Fort Wayne April 5th 1871

Which Report was accepted, and Clerk instructed to spread [illegible] Record.

Commissioners appointed to appraise damages and benefits in opening and extending Force street submitted the following:-

notice from you through the City Clerk we have met in the Council Chamber of the City of Fort-Wayne this 10th day of April 1871 to assess the benefits and damages accruing to property owners through which the street should pass in opening and extending Fairfield Street from its present Southern terminus South to Gamble Street and after having viewed the premises we find

First That [illegible] and fifty feet wide and seven hundred and seven and 2/10 feet long and of the value of Seventeen Hundred and fifty Dollars $1,750

Second, That we find no portion of said [illegible] City.

Third, We find that the strip of land 79 55/100 feet wide and [illegible] feet long lying south of the Foundry Addition and east of Fairfield Street, containing two acres and owned by the estate of [illegible] Keiser is damaged to the amount of $300, and benefitted to the amount of $765.

Fourth, That the North half of O.L. 20 in Hanna and Colerick's Section 12. T. 30 N. 12 owned by C.A.L. & M. R.R. Co. is damaged to the amount of $200 and benefitted to the amount of $765.

Fifth That the South half of said Out Lot 55 owned by Jacques & Senorelle is damaged to the amount of $200. and benefitted to the amount of $205.

Sixth That the North half of Out-Lot No [illegible] owned by J.W. Secret is damaged to the amount of $[illegible] and benefitted to the amount of $765.

Seventh, That Lot No 3 of the sub-division of the South half of Out-Lot No 27 owned by Peter Pier is damaged to the amount of $100 and benefitted to the amount of $[illegible].

Eighth, That Lot No 2 of said sub-division of Out-Lot 27 owned by Lefpes is damaged to the amount of $100 and benefitted to the amount of $765.

Ninth, That Lot No 1 of said sub-division owned by John Landgrafs is damaged to the amount of $100 and benefitted to the amount of $[illegible]

South, that Lot No 4 of said sub-division owned by William Shultz is assessed to the amount of $100. and benefitted to the amount of $105.
Canada, that Out Lot No 96 in said Hannas Out Lots owned by [illegible] assessed to the amount of $450. and benefitted to the amount of [illegible]

[illegible]

L. Lewis,
[illegible] Fenton,
C. C. Filson,
Henry Schone,
John H. Hill
} Commissioners

Which report was accepted, & Treasurer instructed to tender to Mrs Kleiber the amount of damages as awarded by Commissioners

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen:-

I would respectfully report that the [illegible] East & West from Hanna street to Francis street between Wayne and Washington street is completed obstructed at Hanna street by a fence and dwelling house, having been constructed thereon by the owner of Lot 343 Hannas Addition.

Respectfully submitted,
C. J. Brackenridge,
City Civil Eng.

Which report was rec'd and ordered placed on file.

[illegible] Goshorn offered the following:-

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare a Final Estimate in favor of Lillie & McKay assignees of Jno McCarty for grading and Gravelling Hanna Street from Charles street to Lasselle Street, and from Lasselle street to Buchanan Street.

Which resolution was adopted.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution the City Civil Engineer submitted the following Final Estimate [illegible] John Lillie and John McKay Assignees of [illegible] McCarty & Co. for grading and gravelling Hanna Street from Lasselle street to Buchanan street, made at Ninety five cents 95¢/ per lineal foot for the gravelling.

OWNERS NAMES.	DESCRIPTION.	No. of Lots	No. of Feet	Amount	Total	Additional
Lazar Bernard						
J.B. & Jobal Parisot						
Fred Shulz						
Francis L. Fur[illegible]						
Margaret O'Rourke						
" "						
P.S.W. & C. O'Rourke						
Frederick Saulz						
J.W. Beurck.	The N½ of O.L. 27, in Hannas Outlots					
	[illegible]					
Ulrich Meltzer						
John K. Evans,						
Peter Moran	Out Lot № 26 [illegible]					
	[illegible]					

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and Warrant ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Approved, April 11th 1871
Attest, Sam'l P. Freeman, City Clerk

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate, allowed Fitz Gillie and John McKay Engineers of Contract and Con for grading and gravelling Vienna Street from Charles street to Lasselle street, Work at 95 cents per lineal foot for the gravelling—

OWNERS Names.	DESCRIPTION.	No. of Lots	No. of Feet	Amount	Total	Additional
Valentine Erdel,						
Louis Boerger,						
" "						
V.A., C.A.& I.A Mahon.	The North half of O.L. № 26 [illegible]					
	Out Lots in Section 12 T 30 R. 12					
Jaques & Renoulette,	The South half of O.L. № 26 in Ha					
	nas O.Lots in [illegible] 12. T 30. R 12					

Approved April 11 1871
Attest Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate instructed to pay Contractors as per Contract and Estimate.

City Clerk submitted following report:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

Messrs Wise and Fisher appointed by Jno. G. Maier Township Trustee & approved by you Hon. Body, to take the census of the City have completed their labors and reported to your clerk. According to the enumeration taken by them &c

First Ward.	contains	1,657
Second "	"	2745
Third "	"	3255
Fourth "	"	1685
Fifth "	"	2575
Sixth "	"	2120
Seventh "	"	1275
Eighth "	"	1745
Ninth "	"	1630 15,890

Respectfully submitted,

Sam'l. Freeman,

City Clerk,

April 11th 1871,

Which report was read and ordered placed on file.

Chief of Police reported the number of Street Lamps not burning during the month of March to be 70, No. dim 46.

Which report was referred to Com on Gas.

An Ordinance to construct a glazed Clay pipe Sewer Eighteen (18) inches in diameter on Pearl street from the East line of Ewing street to the Harrison street sewer was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, ~~Schuyler~~, Stoll, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill 13. Nays Shryock 1. So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to authorize the borrowing of money in anticipation of the revenue of 1871, was read a third time. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shryock, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill 14 Nays (None) So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance to Repeal Ord. to open Webster

An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance entitled an Ordinance to extend and open Webster street from its present Southern terminus South of the Toledo Wabash & Western Rail Road North across said Road and the Pittsburgh Fort-Wayne & Chicago Rail Way, was introduced & read a first time. On motion of Mr. Morgan, the rules were suspended and Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Fisher, Hedekin Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shugart, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill (14) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. Mr. Tower moved that the be again suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Fisher, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shugart, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill (11) Nays Goshorn, Hedekin & Tremmel 3. After some debate Messrs Hedekin & Tremmel changed their votes and voted in the affirmative, so the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance Pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Stoll, Shugart, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill (14) Nays (none) so the Ordinance was passed,

Grade & gravel Berry street-

An Ordinance to grade and Gravel and Pave the Eastern Foot-walk on Berry street from the East line of Calhoun West to the West-line of Broadway, was introduced and read a first time. Mr. Morgan moved for the suspension of the rules that the Ordinance might be read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Shugart, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Underhill (12) Nays none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Council then took a recess.

To remove all obst. & open Forest

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove all obstruction and open Force street in Foundry Addition.

Which resolution was adopted.

Council was called to order by the following

Resolved. That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to give notice that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in May, for the purpose of electing, one Mayor one Clerk One Treasurer, One Marshal & one Assessor, and one Council man from each ward in the City to be held at the following places, to-wit

Ward Card at Herman Hamman on Washington St.
Second " " Engine House
Third " " Main Street Exchange
Fourth " " the Evenstein
Fifth " " West End Market House,
Sixth " " Engine House
Seventh " " " "
Eighth " " Henry Schmes on Washington
Ninth " " Engine House

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bacon offered the following:

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to notify the owner of Lot No 343 Hamms Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, to remove within 20 twenty days the obstruction now existing on the alley running East & West from Hamms Street to Francis Street between Wayne and Washington streets and in case of non compliance with said notice by the owner of said lot No 343 said Street Commissioner be authorized and ordered to have said obstruction removed and the cost of removing the same be charged against said owner of said lot 343.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bacon offered the following:

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify owners of lots 26 & 28 North Cass street, in North side addn to bring to grade and gravel the sidewalks in front of said lots, and unless the same be done within 15 days after notice being served, that the said Street Commissioner shall cause said work to be done, at cost of said property.

Which motion was adopted.

Councilmen Prentiss & Goshorn on Committee on Education offered the following:-

Resolved That Oliver P. Morgan John S. Irwin and Pliny Hoagland be and the same are hereby appointed and elected School Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne for the ensuing two years.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Bacon offered the following:

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of the property bordering on the alley running North & South from Jones to Herman and between Pierce and Jones street to bring the same to grade within twenty days

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following

Whereas, The sidewalk on the East side of [illegible] street between the North side of the P. H. & K. R. R. and the South side of [illegible] street is in very bad condition, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the said Reid Way Company to construct a good substantial plank walk on the East side of said Lafayette street between the North side of said railway track, and the South side of Jackson street in accordance with the Ordinance for the same; and in case of failure to comply with said notice, within 10 days after [illegible] the Commissioner proceed to construct the same according to the Ordinance and to collect cost from the said

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Stuart offered the following.

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of the lots on both sides of Grand avenue from Lafayette street, in the North side addition to Long to grade and gravel the sidewalks fronting said lots, and in case of failure of said property holders to comply with said notice within 15 days after receipt of said notice, the same work shall be done by the said Street Commissioner at the expense of said property holders. Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Power offered the following

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to construct a plank crossing over the ditch where Walter and Maumee streets intersects with the Maumee Gravel Road.

Which resolution was adopted.

A bill of W. H. Chamberlain for work on Hose Reel House Roof, was, on motion, referred to Committee on Claims and Accounts.

A bill of [illegible] for repairing fire engine was referred to Committee on Fire Department.

The following bills were then presented,

Bills Allowed.	B. L. P. Williard,	Streets	$54.00	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

		2			
		40			
		35			
		20			
			Hall Pierce		
			Norwich		
			H Shaw		
			Hall Bro	Cabalic	3,00
			G Hubinger	Coal Exp	2,50

The foregoing Accounts are allowed by Council in amount

Total Expenses and Legal
from January the 28 day of April 1871
to this date

Wm P Randall

City Clerk,

Mayor,

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Comm rec'd from Board of Adjustment [illegible] Kinzie Randall in the Case and Councilmen Bradaw, [illegible] Bauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Schoeff, Steel, Shynock, Turi, Trammel, Tower & Wadington 13 Absent Councilmen Hutchinson & Underhill 2.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Pet from Martin Curtis

Petition recd from Martin Curtis owner of O.L. No 25, representing that said lot would not be benefitted by the Opening and extension of Lima street, yet petitioner was willing to open said [illegible] was through said lot at his own expense, and would donate towards the opening of Samuel Steel, providing the city gave him surplus earth taken from Wayne street adjoining said lot.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

John Metcalfe et al

Petition recd from John Metcalfe et al, property owners on Williams street praying that the St. Com. be instructed to construct [illegible] on Williams street at the intersection of Webster street, also a culvert on north side of Williams street across Webster street.

On motion of Mr. Hogan, the prayer of the petition was granted.

Jno Leeson

The affidavit & petition of John Leeson owner of Lot 3, Block 31 in Ewings add, recd, representing that lot was [illegible] for taxes in 1871 was assessed at the sum of $200 which was erroneous, as it brought lots adjoining [illegible] at about $1,200.

Which affidavit and petition [illegible]

Com on Finance submitted [illegible]

J. Clattinger

[illegible] to whom was referred the petition and affidavit of J. Clattinger asking a reduction of assessment on lot 54 A.T. made [illegible] adversely thereto, but would recommend that the Com. authority to Instruct Treasurer a reduction of $200 on the amount thereby the assessment of which was raised by the Board of Review & Equalization.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Your Committee on Fire Department would report that they have purchased the third horse belonging to the City, to Michael Dewan for the sum of $[illegible] for which he has given his note at [illegible] days with Thomas M. T. Pratt as security. Which note we have delivered to City Treasurer

[illegible]

Councilman Gosson offered the following

Resolved, That the C. C. C. be instructed forthwith to prepare a Final Estimate in favor of Lillie & McKay for gravelling [illegible] Street from Buchanan street to St. Francis street

In accordance with said resolution the City Civil Engineer submitted the following Final Estimate allowed John Lillie and John McKay assignees of John McCarty &Co. for gravelling Kanna street from Buchanan street to St. Francis street made at 95¢ per lineal foot for the gravelling.

Names of Streets.	Description.	Number of Lots	Number of Feet	Assessment for Gravelling		Total		Addition
[illegible]		77	65	30	84	30	84	Lasselle
	We hereby certify that this assessment for these two lots has been [illegible] Lillie & McKay			30	84	30	84	"
[illegible] E. Lasselle		79	100½	31	[illegible]	31	[illegible]	"
		[illegible]	60	31	84	31	84	"
[illegible]	North ½ of	25	104⅔	49	71	49	71	Warrens Add. Sec. 12
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

ST. FRANCIS Street to CREIGHTON Street.

[illegible]	North half of	23	104⅔	49	71	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	22	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	31	84	31	84	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	23	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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North half Gradual Estimate is correctly made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of St. Louis

Approved April 13th 1871

Chas. P. Pressman City Clerk

C. S. Brackenridge

Civil Engineer

Approximate Estimate

GRADING.

N. line of Charles to Lasselle
Lasselle " Buchanan.

GRAVELLING

Crossings of Charles st
Wings
" " Lasselle "
Wings
Buchanan
Wings
Alleys
City limits

CULVERTS.

At Charles street

Deduct from above

Which Est. was approved and Clerk instructed to issue City Orders to the amount of $1153,75 to Messrs McKay.

Com of R. Brackenridge on taxes of PFWC.R.R.

Which communication was referred to Com on

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:-

Council November 3d 1869 I delivered to Mr. Kearns Secretary

[illegible] said corporation on [illegible] upon certain conditions thereto relative to delivery of said Bonds, the conditions for the year 1869 amounting to $3000. were cut off and destroyed by [illegible] the Finance Committee and so cancelled on the Clerk's books. The same thing was done in relation to the Bonds of the Fort Wayne [illegible] Saginaw R.R. Co. to the amount of $6000.

Respectfully submitted

Chas. Piben Brink Treas.

[illegible] and ordered placed on file.

An Ordinance to grade and Gravel and pave the gutters on [illegible] from the West line of Calhoun Street to the West line of [illegible] was read a First time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Bradway Bessamer Fisher Goshorn Hogan Hedekin Morgan Prentiss Stoll Shynock Trier Tremmel Tower & Wadington (15) [illegible] the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to extend the double ring brick sewer on Holman Street from its present termination at Barr street, thence East of the West line of Lafayette Street [illegible] and read first time. Mr. Tremmel moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of [illegible] Ordinance a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Bradway, Bessamer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Morgan, Prentiss, Schoepf, Stoll, Shynock, Trier, Tremmel, Tower & Wadington, 15? Nays (none) So the rules were suspended. [illegible] Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance to open & extend Force Street from its present terminus South to Charles Street was presented and [illegible] time. Mr. Tremmel moved that the rules be suspended & Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Bessamer Fisher Hogan Hedekin Morgan Prentiss Schoepf Stoll Shynock Trier Tremmel Tower & Wadington 15? Nays none. So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. Mr Goshorn moved that the rules be suspended and Ordinance read a third time. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, ~~Bessamer~~, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hedekin, Prentiss, Schoepf, Trier, Tremmel and Wadington (10) In the negative Messrs. Bessamer Morgan Shynock & Tower (5). So the rules were not suspended.

Councilman Tremmel offered the following.

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify John

Hough Owner of Lot 253 Lewis Addition to fill up the same on a level with adjoining lots and if the same shall not be filled by said Hough within ten days after such notice then the Street Commissioner shall fill the same and report the expenses of the same to the Council.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Schoepf offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to examine Poplar street and as soon as convenient report the most feasible plan for draining same.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of Lots Nos 1-2 187 & 188 bordering on 5th Street, North Side Addition to bring to grade and gravel the sidewalks in front of said lots and unless the same be done within 15 days after receipt of notice, the said work shall be done by said Street Commissioner at the expense of the owners of said lots.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Samuel Offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify Hough, owner of Lot 253 Lewis Addition to fill up the same on a level with the adjoining lots, and if the same shall not be filled up by said Hough, within 10 days after such notice, said Street Commissioner shall fill the same and report the expenses of same to the Council.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll Offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owner of Lot No 188, Bond Fleming's 4th Addition to Fort Wayne, to bring the sidewalk fronting said lot to grade and put down a good gravel sidewalk, and also to fill up said lot; and on failure of said owner to comply with said notice within 20 days after receipt of said notice, said work shall be done by said Street Commissioner at expense of said owner.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Prentiss Offered the following:

Resolved, That the resolution passed by the Common Council of Fort Wayne four weeks since granting to the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Rail Road Company the privilege of changing the location of the freight & Passenger Depots from the ground donated by the City to said Rail Road Company be and and is hereby rescinded.

The ayes & nays being called, those voting in favor of rescinding the

said resolution were Messrs Sommer, Fisher, Hedekin, Prentiss, Tuck, Trammel and Town [illegible] Messrs. Morgan Stoll & Shryock (4)
No [illegible]

[illegible]

Resolved, That the following named gentlemen shall constitute the Board of Election for the ensuing year of their respective wards, viz
First Ward, — Thos Tigar, Inspector
[illegible] Brun & Henry Meyers Judges.
Second Ward, — Jno. A. Colerick Inspector
Michael Hedekin & Chas G French, Judges
Third Ward. — Saml. H. [illegible] Inspector
[illegible] Tunkhouser & H. F. Wilson Judges
Fourth Ward. — Jno B. Reker Inspector
[illegible] Eakin & George Fisher Judges.
Fifth Ward. — Jno H. Hill Inspector
Platt F. Wise & H. V. Swearingen Judges.
Sixth Ward. — A. Earl Inspector
N. C. Miller & Jno Phillabaum Judges
Seventh Ward. — [illegible] Inspector.
[illegible] Adler & [illegible] Bradley Judges
Eighth Ward. — Henry Schue Inspector
Jno Snodgrass & Lewis Kannan Judges
Ninth Ward. — N. Benz, Inspector
[illegible] Brick & [illegible] Judges,
and Clerk instructed to notify said Inspectors and Judges immediately of said appointments.
Which resolution was adopted.

[illegible] Osborn offered the following:-
Resolved. That the order heretofore passed, requiring the P. F. W & C. R. W. to construct plank sidewalks on Lafayette street between Hedekin street and Rail Road track be suspended until the "Roadway" opposite same shall have been properly graded.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan Offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to put in crossings on the alleys in Lavinia Street.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following
Resolved, That the Fire Wardens of the Third Ward be instructed to examine the out buildings on lot No. 5 Block 4 in Ewings Addition, West

Fire Wardens in 3d Ward to examine certain houses

Water street, (the above described buildings are used for the purpose of boiling and washing in during the summer and fall seasons and are situated low, crowded together composed of light combustible materials and are in a delapadated condition and being near to other houses and in particular a large frame house on the east side it is therefore dangerous unsafe to suffer fire in them for any purpose whatever) Now therefore if said wardens after careful examination deem it unsafe to occupy said out buildings for the purposes herein above stated that they then order the owner to discontinue the use of fire therein for any purpose whatever, and report in accordance with Chapter Eleven of the Code Ordinances.

Which resolution was adopted.

Motion to open bids

On motion of Mr. Morgan bids heretofore advertised for to Grade and Plank sidewalks on Griffith street both sides from Main street to George street were opened and read as follows:

Proposal

to Grade to a width of ten feet and plank to a width of five feet with 2 inch plank, the sidewalks on both sides of Griffith street from Main street to George street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Gentlemen. The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the prices, to-wit:-

Proposal to plank Sidewalks on Griffith St

From Main Street to Berry Street	.33c	3c	.50c	3c
" Berry " " Wayne "	"	"	"	"
" Wayne " " Washington "	"	"	"	"
" Washington " " Jefferson "	"	"	"	"
" Jefferson " " George "	"	"	"	"

Which bids were referred to Committee on Streets, with instructions to retire into ante-room and examine same and report forthwith.

Committee on Streets to whom had been referred the above bids reported as follows, to-wit:-

To the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen

Your Committee to whom was referred the bids for the grading and planking of

Griffith would report that they find the Proposal of Linttag and Childs to be the lowest and would recommend the contract for said work be awarded to said firm.

15. Jour.,
M. Kedekin, } Com.
T. Hogan, }

Which report was received and Com. ordered to be on file.

Bids had been advertised for by C. C. Engineer to grade to a width of 40 feet, base with Brick to a width of 8 feet and set stone curbing and flag sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Calhoun street to Lafayette street were opened and read ~~[illegible]~~ in these words to wit:

[illegible] Fort Wayne Ind. [illegible]

Gentlemen: We hereby propose to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and in the following prices, to-wit:

	Schmelkeyl & Co.			Sutermeister & Bond			Kelly		
	For Excavating per Cubic Yard	For Curbing per Lin. Foot	For Round Corners each	For Grading per Sq. Yard	For Grading & Paving per Sq. Yard	For Round Corners each	For Curbing per Lin. Foot	For Grading & Paving per Sq. Yard	For Round Corners each
Harrison street	67¢	.54¢	7 00	59¢	.77		00¢	78¢	9
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
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	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	67	57		59	77		"	"	"
	72	42		each 59 Cubic Yard 63	each 77 Cubic Yard 82		80	85	"
	Schmelkeyl & Co.			J. B. Beson			J. W. Langohr.		
	58¢	.77¢	8 50	.63¢	78¢	9 00	.59¢	.70¢	6 00
	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
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	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
	"	"	" "	"	"	" "	"	"	
	75	60	" "	78	85	" "	63		6 00

Which bids and Proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare same and report to this council with the lowest bidder

Committee on Streets to whom had been referred the above bids and proposals submitted following report:

"To the Hon. Mayor and Council

Gentlemen

Your Committee on Streets to whom were referred the several bids for grading Pearl Street from the East line of Ewing Street to the West line of Main Street Sewer, and building a Sewer in said Street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined said bids and find the following to be the lowest bidder on both sides of the same Street from Ewing to Bridge Street, and report that the bid of Thos. H. Langohr is the lowest and best bidder and we would recommend that the contract for said work be awarded to said Langohr.

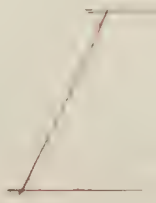
B. H. Jones
T. Hogan
N. Hobson
} Committee.

Which report was received and O.C. Empson instructed to draw contract and report same at next meeting.

Bids for Sewer on Pearl St.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by O. C. Empson to construct a glazed clay pipe sewer 14 inches in diameter, with the necessary sand bits, man holes and connections on Pearl Street from the East line of Ewing Street to the West line of Main Street Sewer, were opened and read in the words and figures, to-wit:-

The undersigned hereby propose to construct the above named Sewer, furnish all labor and materials, and do all the work required according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Engineer for the following prices



	Sewer 14 in.	Sewer extra size	Manholes	Bends	Bench Wall
	per Lin. Ft.	per Lin. Ft.	Each	Each	per Lin. Ft.
Chas. Pape	1 [illegible]	1 [illegible]	15 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jno. H. Langohr	1 [illegible]	1 [illegible]	15	75	1 [illegible]
C. H. Lindsay & S. O'Connell	1 71	1 17	15	75	1 [illegible]

Add Each 14 in con. Extra 15¢

6 " Stand on curve extra each 6.00

12 " " 9.00

Which bids were referred to Committee on Sewers with instructions to retire into another room examine and compare said bids and report forthwith to this council the lowest and best bidder

To the Mayor and Common Council
Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the bids for construction of a sewer on Grand street from the East line of Ewing street to the Harrison street sewer report that the bid of Wm. Laughlin is the lowest and recommend that said work be awarded to said Wm. Laughlin

J. S. Goshorn
M. Riddell
Wm B. Morgan

Which report was concurred in and C. C. Engineer instructed to draw up contract with said Laughlin according to the Plans and Specifications.

The following bills were then allowed.

B L P Willard	St. Exp.	54	Dan Mc Kendry	Street Exp.	24,00
Emil Rench	"	24	M Kelly	"	12,50
[illegible]	"	24	Morgan's Beach	Pub Cnd's	7,52
[illegible]	"	24	"	Police	6,75
Jas Lynch	"	24	"	Fire Dept	8,30
[illegible]	"	24	C Piepenbrink	"	14,82
[illegible]	"	24	A. Dierstein	"	5,00
[illegible]	"	24	A Sinicor	"	1,50
[illegible]	"	22	Sutermeister Herbertee	Streets	7,15
[illegible]	"	24	A. H Carter	(Finance 8 days) Com Duties	22,00
[illegible]	"	48	Saml Shryock	" " "	22,00
[illegible]	"	48	W B. Fisher	" " "	22,00
[illegible]	"	44	W. Washington	Education 3	" 6,25
[illegible]	"	40	J. S. Goshorn	"	" 5,25
[illegible]		40	W Rudolph		Streets 25,50
H. Wielke		40	C. Piepenbrink		Genl Exp 2,75
[illegible]		14	F W Gas Co.	(March)	St. Lights 58230.
Morgan's Beach	"	28 35		(April)	" 1022,75

No further business Council adjourned to Council in Course.

[illegible] were and signed in
pursuance this 9th day of May 1871
Attest

Sam. K. Freeman
City Clerk

T. J. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session
May 9th A.D. 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present, his Honor, Mayor Randall, who having been Sworn into office by the Clerk of the Allen Circuit Court, presented the following:

State of Indiana, }
Allen County } ss.

I William S Edsall Clerk of the Allen Circuit Court do hereby certify that Franklin P. Randall has this day filed his Official Bond as Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne in this office, which said Bond has been by me approved and that said Randall has taken and subscribed to an oath to support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Indiana and to faithfully discharge the duties of his said office of Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne Indiana which said oath is endorsed on said Bond.

Oath of Mayor

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, this 4th day of May, 1871.

Seal ALLEN COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT Indiana

Wm S Edsall Clerk.

Which was approved.

Also present, Councilmen Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Fisher, Horn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stout, Tagtmeyer, Thomas Tower, Underhill and Wadington, the [illegible] members elect having duly filed their oaths of office took their seats as Councilmen from their respective wards.

Minutes of last session read approved and signed.

Clerks Bond

Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk presented his official bond in these words:-

The City of Fort Wayne
Official Bond
State of Indiana . Allen County ss.

Know all men by these presents,

That we Sam.l P. Freeman, and William Lytle and C. L. Hill of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the City of Fort Wayne, State of Indiana, in the penal Sum of Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which Sum, well and Truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of May 1871.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Sam.l P. Freeman, was on the 2d day of May 1871 duly elected by the legal voters of the City of Fort-Wayne, to the office of Clerk in and for the said City of Fort Wayne Allen County, Indiana for the term of Two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said Sam.l P. Freeman, shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and [illegible] according to law, all monies, that may, by virtue of his said office come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year above written,

Sam.l P. Freeman (Seal)
William Lytle (Seal)
C. L. Hill (Seal)

Which bond was approved by the Council.

John A. Dwegemeyer, Treasurer elect presented his official Bond in these words:-

The City of Fort-Wayne
Official Bond

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss.

Know all Men by these presents,

That we John A. Dwegemeyer, Louis Blase Fanny Wiebke, H. H. Schnieders Louis Schaeder, F. J. Beeks John [illegible] William Bergens Frederick Jacobs William Kanning George [illegible] Tim L. Trunk David Taglmeyer Geo [illegible] John H. Kuhlmeier Wilhelm Thumm [illegible] Ropa Julius Kabisch Maurice Cody C. W Lindlay Fred Reiter of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the City of Fort Wayne, the State of Indiana, in the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of May 1871.

The condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound John A. Dwegemeyer was on the 2d day of May 1871 duly elected by the legal voters of the city of Fort Wayne, to the office of Treasurer in and for the city of Fort-Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term of two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said John A. Dwegemeyer, shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and

forever according to law, all monies that may by virtue of said office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be void and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this day and year above written.

John A Snodgrass
Isaac Blair
Henry Wirth
A. Schneider
Louis Schneider
F. J. Wirth
John Landers
William Phipps
Richard Lacey
William Kenney
George Kenney
Henry Dun
L. Trout
Daniel Laybolmyer
Jacob Mayer
J. G. Boultinhouse
John M. Goodmiller
Nicholas Bauer
William Phipps
Justus Kalbach
Benjamin Lacey
W. H. Whitney
Paul Keller

Which bond was approved by the Board

Bond of Marshal

Charles Phipps, Marshal elect, executed to aforesaid bond in these words,

The Code of Indiana
Official Bond
State of Indiana Allen County ss.

Know all men by these Presents,

That we Charles Phipps Henry Wirth and William Phipps of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made we and do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of May 187

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Charles Upleggen was on the 2d day of May 1871, duly elected by the legal voters of the City of Fort-Wayne to the office of Marshal in and for the city of Fort-Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term of Two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said Charles Upleggen shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and pay over according to law all monies that may, by virtue of his said office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written.

Charles Upleggen, Seal
Louis Blase Seal
Henry Wiebke Seal
William Ropa Seal

Which bond was approved by the Council.

Peter J. Melter, Assessor, elect, presented his official in these words.

The City of Fort-Wayne,
Official Bond.

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss.

Bond of Assessor

Know all Men by these presents;

That we Peter J. Melter and Mathias Melter of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the City of Fort-Wayne, State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we bind these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of May 1871.

Now the condition of this obligation is such that, whereas, the above bound Peter J. Melter was on the 2d day of May 1871, duly elected by the legal voters of the City of Fort-Wayne to the office of Assessor in and for the said city of Fort-Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term of Two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said Peter J. Melter shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and pay over according to law, all monies that may, by virtue of his said office come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written.

Peter J. Melter Seal
Mathias Melter Seal.

Which Bond was approved by the Council.

His Honor informed the Council they could, previous to going into the regular business, elect the officers usually voted by the Council at the first regular meeting after the Annual Election.

Mr. Carier moved that the election of officers be postponed. The ayes and nays being called Messrs Carier Goshorn Hagan Bull & Bodenhamer & Tower voted in the affirmative. Messrs Fleming, Keenan, Parker, Wilson, Morgan, Teghtmeyer, Schoepf, Hamm, Trimmel, Vandervort & Wadington (11) voted in the negative. So the motion was not carried.

Election of City Atty

Mr. Bradley moved to go into an election for City Attorney, which motion prevailed. His Honor appointed Messrs Hagan & Fleming as tellers.

On the 1st ballot A. Zollars recd 9 votes
" " " " W. G. Verbeck " 5
" " " " Blank 2
" " " " Wilson 1
" " " " France 1

No one having recd a majority of the votes cast the Council went into a second ballot which resulted as follows:

A. Zollars recd 9 vote
W. G. Verbeck " 9 "

Messrs Carier & Bull not voting. Mr. Zollars having received the highest number of votes was declared duly elected City Attorney for the ensuing two years.

Street Commissioner

On motion of Mr. Fisher the Council went into an election of Street Commissioner

On the 1st ballot B. L. P. Williard recd 10 votes
" " " " Fred Brusse " 3 "
" " " " Wm Braut- " 1 "
" " " " Conrad Baker " 1 "
" " " " Jno W. Laughlin " 1 "
" " " " C. W. Guttag " 2 "

Mr. Williard having recd the highest number of votes was declared duly elected Street Commissioner for the ensuing two years.

C.C. Engineer

On motion of Mr. Carier Chas S. Brackenridge was unanimously declared elected to the office of Civil Engineer.

On motion of Mr. Washington the Council went into

Election of Chief Engineer

election of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. On motion of Mr. Brown sundry petitions were read from the various fire companies.

Recommendation

Recommendations received from Mechanic Fire Co., No. 2, Eagle Co. No. 4; Protection No. 5, Rescue No. 6; Alert Hook & Ladder Co., and Empire Hose Co. stating that at a meeting held of each company Thomas Williams had received the highest number of votes for the position of Chief Engineer, and the respective companies recommended his re-appointment.

Communication

Communication read from Geo. Gehret offering himself as candidate for Chief Engineer.

After reading the above mentioned petitions the Council went into ballot for Chief Engineer.

On the 1st ballot Thos. Mannix recd 13 votes
" " " Geo. Gehret " 5 " Total 18.

Mr. Mannix having received the highest number of votes was declared elected.

Council went into ballot for Market Master of the Penn Street Market House.

On the 1st ballot Teghtmeyer recd 6 votes
Schmieder 5
Cothrell 2
Kanning 2
Shaffer 3 18 votes

No one having recd a majority of all the votes cast Council went into

2nd Council

Second ballot in which Schmieder recd 9 votes
" " " Teghtmeyer " 5 "
" " " Kanning " 2 "
" " " Cothrell " 1 "
" " " Shaffer " 1 " Total 18

No one having recd a majority of all the votes cast Council prepared

3rd Board

3d Ballot on which Schmieder recd 10 votes
" " " Teghtmeyer " 8 " 18 votes

Mr. Schmieder having recd the highest number of votes cast was declared elected.

Pending the vote on Market Master, a petition was read from Geo Shaffer offering to perform the duties of Market-Master for $200. per annum.

Also a petition from J. J. Liefels and 156 others praying that J. Cothrell be appointed Market Master of Barr street Market-House. Which petitions were recd and ordered placed on file.

On motion, the regular order of business was suspended, to receive report from Marshal elect which read in these words.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen.

Appt of Deply Mashal

I have appointed Chas. Kelly as Deputy Marshal subject to your approval.

Charles H. Briggs

City Marshal

Which appointment was confirmed by the Council.

On motion, Sealed proposals heretofore advertised for by C. C. Engineer to Grade and Gravel Berry street from the West line of Calhoun Street to Broadway; Also for paving with cobble stone the gutters on both sides of said Street between said points, were opened and read in these words and figures to-wit:-

Proposals to grade & gravel Berry St-

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all materials and labor, according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

From Calhoun Street to Harrison Street-	2,74	.33	.15	23	2,35	.35	.15	.39
" Harrison " " Webster "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Webster " " Ewing "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Ewing " " Griffith "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Griffith " " Fulton "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Fulton " " Broadway "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
For Crossings of Streets & Alleys	2,90	.35	"	"	2,40	35	"	"
From Calhoun Street to Harrison Street-	2,35	29	16	28	1,93	.34	.20	.30
" Harrison " " Webster "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Webster " " Ewing "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Ewing " " Griffith "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Griffith " " Fulton "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Fulton " " Broadway "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
For Crossings of Streets & Alleys	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

On motion, said bids were referred to Committee on Streets.

On motion of Mr. Carey the rules were suspended for the

Petition for laying a petition read.

Pet to grade & gravel Calhoun

Petition read from A. Whitehead and 13 others praying that Calhoun street be graded and graveled from the South side of T.W.&W.R.R. track South to the Southern limits to or about Creighton Avenue.

Also a remonstrance read from J. M. Kennan and 10 others praying Council not to pass an Ordinance to grade and gravel Calhoun street south of T.W.&W.R.R. track to Creighton street.

Remonstrance

After the reading of the petition and remonstrance Mr. Carier moved that the prayer of the petition be granted. Mr. Goshorn moved to amend by referring both petition and remonstrance to Street Committee, which motion as amended prevailed

Ordinance to extend open Farnam St

On motion of Mr. Goshorn An Ordinance to open and extend Farnam street from its present Southern terminus South to Charles street was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bowlsby, Carier, Dewsnap, Fisher, Goshorn, Bull, Wilson, Morgan, Seaton, Schaefer, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Underhill & Wadsworth & McCarthy. (16) Nays (none) Not voting Tower & Hogan (2) So the Ordinance was passed.

Upon motion the Check Roll of the Street Commissioner was examined and the following allowances made.

[illegible]	[illegible]	42	37	Street Repair	Streets	35
[illegible]	[illegible]	28		[illegible]		31
[illegible]	[illegible]	21		[illegible]		21
[illegible]	[illegible]	32		[illegible]	"	31
[illegible]	[illegible]	16		[illegible]		16
[illegible]	[illegible]	16		Charles Pape		23
[illegible]	[illegible]	4		Con Cull	"	4
[illegible]	[illegible]	12		D McCarthy		24
[illegible]	[illegible]	21		M Kelly		17 [illegible]

No further business Council adjourned to Council in course.

Read, Approved, and Signed
in Open Council this 23 day of May 1891

Attest,

Sam. P. Freeman,
City Clerk.

F. J. V. Broderick
Mayor.

CITY COMPTROLLER
Register
Chief Clerk

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present his Honor, Mayor Randall in the chair, and Councilmen Bradeway, Buss, Carnes, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schwepf, Stoll, Shryock, Taghlmeyer, Trennel, Tower, Wilson & Wadmiston 171. Absent Vandenhill 11.

Minutes of last meeting, read approved and signed.

Pet. of D. Brenner

Petition recd from David Brenner, owner of Sub q. of Sub M 485 & 486-487 & 488 praying that said Brenner may be exempted from putting down brick sidewalk fronting same, as he desires to put down stone flagging, before the expiration of the year.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

of President Gas Co.

Petition received from President of Fort Wayne Gas Co., praying that a reduction be made on the assessment against the said Co. for personal property, and improvements which he claimed were erroneously raised by Board of Equalization,

Which petition was on motion, referred to Com on Finance.

of J. K. Evans

Petition and affidavit recd from Jno K. Evans representing that he was a non-resident of the city of Fort Wayne, and for this reason he prays that he may be exempted from paying taxes on personal property in said city.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

of J. Albert

Petition recd from Jules Albert, praying for a reduction of taxes on Sub lots Nos 119 & 120 Old Plat,

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

of D. W. Bowen

Petition recd from D. W. Bowen praying that nuisance be abated on lots 341 & 345 Hannas Add.

Which petition was referred to Board of Health

Petition recd from D. W Bowen, praying Council to order the construction of sidewalk fronting lot No 344 Hannis Addition

of D. W. Bowen

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets,

of Emmiger

Petition recd from Joseph Emmiger praying to be

appointed City Scavenger. he agreeing to take all defunct animals from the streets from the City.

Which petition was refered to Committee on Public

Petition recd from Trustees of Ft. Wayne Hospital praying for permission free of license or tapfrage fee, to tap into the 12 inch pipe sewer in the alley between Main & Berry street now terminating 50 feet east of Broadway.

Which petition was on motion of Mr. Lavin, granted.

Remonstrance recd from J. B. Dubois and 27 other residents on Lewis street remonstrating against grading and guttering said Lewis street.

Which petition was refered to Com. on streets.

Allen Zollars, City Attorney, presented his official bond in these words, to-wit:

The City of Fort-Wayne.
Official Bond.

State of Indiana Allen County, S.S.

Know all men by these presents:

That we Allen Zollars, A.P. Edgerton and P. Hoagland of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Three Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals, and dated this 12th day of May 1871.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Allen Zollars was on the 9th day of May 1871 duly elected by the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, to the office of Attorney in and for the said city of Fort-Wayne, Allen County Indiana, for the term of two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now, if the said Allen Zollars, shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and pay according to law, all monies that may, by virtue of his said office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, this day and year above written.

Allen Zollars [Seal]
A.P. Edgerton [Seal]
P. Hoagland, [Seal]

Which bond was approved, and ordered placed on file.

B. L. P. Williard, Street Commissioner, presented his official bond in these words, to-wit:

The City of Fort-Wayne
Official Bond.
State of Indiana, Allen Co. S.S.

Official Bond of B. L. P. Williard

Know all men by these presents:

That we, B. L. P. Williard and Taylor and Jacob Glutting, of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators; sealed with our seals, and dated this 10th day of May 1871.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound B. L. P. Williard was on the 9th day of May 1871 duly elected by the common council of the city of Fort-Wayne to the office of Street Commissioner, in and for the said city of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term of Two years, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said B. L. P. Williard shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office and pay over according to law, all monies that may, by virtue of his said office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written

B. L. P. Williard {Seal}
John Taylor {Seal}
Jacob Gutting {Seal}

Which Bond was approved and ordered placed on file.

William Schneider, Market Master, presented his official bond, in these words to-wit:

The City of Fort-Wayne
Official Bond.
State of Indiana, Allen County SS.

Official Bond of Market-Mast.

Know all men by these presents,

That we, William Schneider

Frederick Thieme and Lewis Griebel. of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do by these presents firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators; sealed with our seals and dated this 10th day of May 1871

Now the condition of this obligation, is such, that, whereas, the above bound William Schmieder was on the 9th day of May 1871 duly elected by the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, to the office of Market Master in and for the said city of Fort-Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the term of one year, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Now if the said William Schmieder shall well, truly faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and pay over according to law, all monies that may, by virtue of his office come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written

Wm Schmieder (seal)
Frederich Thieme (seal)
Lewis Griebel. (seal)

Which bond was approved, and ordered placed on file

Report of Committee on Streets

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

The Committee on Streets presented the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

We your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of Martin Curtis asking that the surplus dirt taken from opposite his lot on Hanna Street may be kept by him free of cost, & in consideration of which he will donate to the city 45 feet by 520 feet long of said lot towards the opening of Hanna Street would report in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner.

B. K. Tower,
M Hedekin } Committee
J. Hogan

Which report was concurred in.

Report of Committee on Streets

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

The Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several proposals for Grading and gravelling Berry street

from Calhoun street to Broadway, would report that they have compared the same and find Neal McKay, to be the lowest bidder for said work and would recommend that the contract therefor be awarded to said McKay.

Respectfully,
B. H. Jones, } Committee
Timothy Horgan, }

Which report was concurred in and C. C. Engineer instructed to draw up contract.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of Johan W. Langohr, which read in these words and figures to-wit:

Contract-& Bond of J. W. Langohr for construction of sidewalks on [illegible]

Contract.

This Agreement, Made and entered this 9th day of May A.D. 1871, by and between Johan W. Langohr, of the County of Allen, State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade to a width of Twelve (12) feet and pave with Brick to a width of Eight (8) feet the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Calhoun street to College street; Also for [illegible] crossing on said sidewalks and furnish all labor and material [illegible] for the following prices to-wit:

				For Crossing Per Square Yard	For Each Per Square Yard	For Per Square Yard
From	Calhoun	street to	Harrison	street,	50¢	70¢	[illegible]
"	Harrison	" "	Webster	"	"	"	"
"	Webster	" "	Ewing	"	"	"	"
"	Ewing	" "	Griffith	"	"	"	"
"	Griffith	" "	Fulton	"	"	"	"
"	Fulton	" "	Broadway	"	"	"	"
"	Broadway	" "	Van Buren	"	"	"	"
"	Van Buren	" "	Jackson	"	"	"	"
"	Jackson	" "	Union	"	"	"	"
"	Union	" "	Rockhill	"	"	"	"
"	Rockhill	"	College	"	"	"	"
For	Street and Alley		Crossings		40	"	"

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own [illegible], from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings

of Streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest- but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignement of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the said part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk, and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to the nearest street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of September, 1871 to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to above Specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of
the City of Fort- Wayne,
H. D. Bruckenridge,
City Civil Engineer,

John W. Langohr (Seal)

Bond.

Know all men by these Presents.

That we, John W. Langohr, Jacob Weisman and Christian Schafer, of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John W. Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 9th day of May 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain

in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John W. Langohr. (Seal)
C. Schiefer. (Seal)
Jacob Weisman. (Seal)

State of Indiana }
Allen County, }

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, on this 9th day of May 1871, the above named John. Langohr, Jacob Weisman and C. Schiefer and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond, for the purposes therein expressed.

Seal of City

W. H. Randall
Mayor.

Which contract and Bond was approved

Standing Committees Appointed

He is Hence, the Mayor announced the following Standing Committees for the ensuing year.

Finance

Messrs. Fisher, Messrs Bradway, Messrs. Cairns,
Wilson, Wadington, Hoffman,
Bull, Traylmeyer, Hall.

Fire Department

Messrs. Wadington, Messrs. Bradway, Messrs Dessauer.
Fisher Tremmel, " Tower,
Dessauer. Schoepf. Strycker.

Education

Messrs Wilson, Messrs Goshorn, Messrs. Traylmeyer
Wadington, Morgan, Morgan,
Bull. Hogan, Caries,

Rules Regulations & Ordinances

Messrs Hamm, Messrs. Strycker
Tower, Schoepf
Underhill. Tremmel.

Estimate in favor of Libbie v McKay

City Civil Engineer submitted Final Estimate in favor of Libbie v McKay for Grading and repairing on Hanna street South of Rail Road.

To furnishing Roadway and gutters 856 sq yds 274.11
" 70 C. yds of screened gravel to repair old Road. @ 2.50 40.00 314.11

I certify the above estimate correct and the work done. ac

cording to order.

C. F. Brackenridge, C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed.

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for grading & planking the steel and alley crossings of sidewalks on Wayne street, from Francis to Harmer.

Constructing plank sidewalk on steel and alley crossings on the North side of Wayne steet from Francis to Harmer 25½ lineal feet.

For Planking	11.22	
Grading	102	12.24

I certify the above Estimate is correct and the work done in accordance with an order of the Common Council.

C. F. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed. and Clerk instructed to issue City Order to the amount of $12.24 to the contractor.

City Civil Engineer Contract and Bond of John W. Langohr for constructing the Eighteen inch crock sewer on Pearl street from Harrison street to Ewing steet.

Contract

This Agreement, Made and entered into this Ninth day of May 1871, by and between John W. Langohr. of the County of Allen and State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant to construct a glazed clay pipe sewer Eighteen inches in diameter, with the necessary Sand Pits, Man Holes and connections on Pearl street, from Harrison street to Ewing steet; and furnish all labor and material at; and for the following prices, to-wit:- For the Eighteen inch crock sewer including Excavation and filling, per lineal foot, One Dollar and fifty seven cents; Man Holes Fifteen Dollars each; For twelve inch connections per lineal foot One Dollar and Fifteen cents for City orders or One Dollar per lineal foot in cash; for six inch connection [illegible] Twenty nine cents. For Sand Pits, each, Forty Dollars. Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense, from the owners of the property benefited by said sewer. and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in corporation

Wides, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required and to contract the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the City Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the fifteenth day of June, 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the City Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, than the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and reletting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the forgoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

In the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,

C. D. Buckenridge. John W. Langohr

City Civil Engineer,

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we John W. Langohr and C. D. Buckenridge, of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars the payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John W. Langohr, shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this Ninth day of May 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation is void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness. Our hands and seals the day and year above written.

John W. Slaughter, Seal
Jacob Weisman, Seal
C. Schiefer, Seal

State of Indiana,
Allen County,

Personally appeared before me Mayor of the City of Fort-Wayne on this day of 1871, the above named and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond for the purpose therein expressed.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year aforesaid

N. P. Randall,
Mayor

City Civil Engineer submitted following Contract & Bond of Luttag & Gribel for Grading and Planking Sidewalks on Griffith Street

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this Ninth day of May 1871, by and between Christian W. Luttag and Ludwig Gribel of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, of the second part,

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade to a width of ten feet, and plank to a width of five feet with two inch plank the sidewalks on both of Griffith street, from Main Street to George street and furnish all labor and material at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

From Main street to Berry street, for planking per lineal foot thirty cents, for grading per cubic yard thirty cents; From Berry street to Wayne street for planking per lineal foot thirty cents, for grading per cubic yard; thirty cents; From Wayne street to Washington street, for planking per lineal foot, thirty cents; for grading per cubic yard, twenty nine and ¼ cents; From Washington Street to Jefferson street; For Planking per lineal foot thirty cents; For grading per cubic yard twenty nine and ¼ cents. From Jefferson Street to George street; for planking per lineal foot, thirty cents; for grading per cubic yard twenty nine and ¾ cents.

Said amounts to be collected by the said parties of the first part at their own expense, from the owners of property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment there of to be withheld so long as any

sums remain unpaid to labors employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement." It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said parties of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the City Clerks office and made a part of these presents

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the 15th day of July 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer and should said work not be finished by the time specified and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this Contract and re-letting the same, and the said parties of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

In the presence of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
C. D. Bruchmueller
C. C. Engineer.

C. W. Luittag [seal]
Ludwig Greibel [seal]

Bond.

Bond.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, Christian W. Luittag Ludwig Greibel George Mayer and Frederick Kamm, of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, the Payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Christian W. Luittag & Ludwig Greibel shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this Ninth day of May 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness Our hands & seals the day and year last above written.

C. H. Lindley Seal
Ludwig Breibel Seal
George Mayer Seal

Which contract and Bond was approved and ordered filed and on file.

City Engineer submitted the following report.
To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council;
Gentlemen;
On ale of the City I have dis-
posed of the following quantity of dirt excavated on Wayne Street,
south of the R.R. and would recommend that the City Treasurer be
instructed to make the collections for same.

John Hough,	634	Loads @ 15¢	95.10	
M. Curtis,	279	" " "	41.85	
Peter Moran,	84	" " "	12.60	
John O'Rourke,	237	" " "	35.55	
O. & Bradways,	86	" " "	12.90	198.00

Which report was concurred in.

City Clerk submitted annual Report of the Expenditures and Receipts of the City for the Fiscal year ending April 30th 1871.
Which Report was referred to Com on Finance.

Report read from City Clerk requesting that some committee be appointed to examine Tax Duplicate,
On motion the matter was referred to Com. on Finance.

City Clerk presented a letter from City Clerk of Kendallville asking on what terms a second hand could be purchased of the City of Fort Wayne
Which communication was referred to Com on Fire Department

City Treasurer submitted following report:
To the Hon Mayor
and Common Council,
Gentlemen;
I have appointed Saml. A. Freeman as collector of Delinquent taxes and he has entered upon his duties and I now ask that your Hon. Body confirm the appointment.
Jno A. Dragoomeyer Treas.

Which report was read and placed on file and appointment confirmed by the Council.

Street Commissioner submitted following:

Appointment of Deputy St Commissioner

Gentlemen

I would respectfully ask your Hon Body to appoint Mr. C. Taylor to serve said Labor Tax notices. I would also suggest the names of Mr. P. Waters John Klein and Chuck Burns for supervisors.

Respectfully
B. L. Woodward
Street Commr

Which report was referred to Com. on Streets.

Ordinance to extend sewer on Coleman

An Ordinance "to extend the double sewer now laid on Coleman Street from its present terminus at Elm street; thence East to the West line of Lafayette street," was read a third time The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Kaps, Morgan, Schroff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trammel, Vogt Meyer, Wadington & Wilson (17) Nays (none). So the Ordinance was passed.

Grade & Gravel Calhoun St

Councilman Wadington introduced an ordinance to Grade and Gravel Calhoun Street from the South Side of the Toledo Wabash and Western Railroad, south to the City Limits which was read a first time. Mr. Wadington moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Hanna, Morgan, Vogt Meyer Wadington & Wilson (7). Nays, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Kaps, Schroff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower & Trammel (9) Not voting, Messrs Bradway & Schroff. So the rules were not suspended.

To Grade & Plank Side walks on Calhoun

Councilman Morgan introduced "an Ordinance to Grade and Plank the sidewalks on the west side of Calhoun Street from Lot Number Two (2) in Williams Addition, thence South to the City limits," which was read a first time. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative

men Messrs Bradway, Bullock, Dessauer, Fisher, Gisborn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trammel, Jagtmeyer, Worlington & Wilson (17) So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Hogan introduced an Ordinance to Grade and Gravel the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street from Calhoun street to Woodland Avenue, which was read a first time. Mr. Schoepf moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordiance read a second time now by its title, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Bullock, Dessauer, Fisher, Gisborn, Hanna, Hogan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trammel, Jagtmeyer (Worlington & Wilson (16) Nays (none), Councilman Morgan (1). So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now

Councilman Bradway introduced "an Ordinance to Grade and Gravel both sides of Calhoun street from Butler street to Woodland Avenue," which was read a first time, Mr. Bradway moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read by its title a second time those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Bullock, Dessauer, Fisher, Gisborn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trammel, Jagtmeyer, Worlington & Wilson (17) Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-
Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be authorized to construct a board sidewalk on Griffith street opposite the Bee Hive House, ten feet in width instead of five as heretofore ordered.

Said resolution was adopted

Councilman Gisborn offered the following:
Resolved, That the Committee on Public Buildings be instructed to contract for the sprinkling of the street around the Public Buildings of the City.

Said resolution was adopted, to Com on Public Grounds

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-
Whereas, The 33d Section of the City Charter provides that the Treasurer shall on the last of each month furnish to the clerk a statement of all the receipts and disbursements made by

Treasurer to make his annual report

time during the month, and the balance then in the Treasury belonging to each fund created and opened, and that he shall lay all the orders redeemed and cancelled by him during the ~~Month~~ period and that the Clerk shall lay the same before the Common Council at its next meeting. Now therefore in order that each member of the Council may be kept informed as to the financial condition of the City at all times.

Resolved, That the Treasurer and City Clerk be and they are hereby instructed to comply with the requirements of said section.

Which resolution was adopted by the following vote, Ayes, Messrs Bradley, Breman, Vistus, Graves, Hayes, Morgan, Schuyler Stoll, Shugart, Town Council Supervisor & Citizen at Large (Ward Council & Huntington 10.

Councilman Shugart offered the following:

Ownership of Lots 23 24 25-26-87 88 89-90 and 92 (3d street) in Northside Addition to Fort Wayne to grade and gravel and build S.W.

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of Lots Nos 23, 24, 25-26, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91 and 92 (3d street) in Northside Addition to Fort Wayne to grade and gravel and unless the same be done within 20 days after being notified, the same will be done by the City at the expense of the owners of said lots.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shugart offered the following:

To appoint Russell

Resolved That Robert Russell act as Deputy Sheetham. surveyor.

On motion of Mr. Bradley the above resolution was laid on the table

Councilman Trennel offered the following:

Resolved, That the collector of delinquent taxes be instructed to use great diligence in the collection of the same and when the taxes cannot be collected otherwise, he shall make a levy on the personal property of the delinquent

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:

Immigrant House on Park

Whereas there is a house west of the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road, on what was the City Park, and that is supposed by many to still belong to the City and not included in the grant to the said

Railroad and Whereas said house is now occupied and has been occupied for the last three years and over by one Oman Was resolved that the Committee on Public Grounds be instructed to investigate said matter and if it be found that said house is located on the City property, report the same to the Council in order that steps may be taken to collect the rents.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered a resolution that Cass street be filled up to the grade from its present termination south to the St Mary's River. Which resolution was laid on the table.

Councilman Trimmel offered the following:
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby authorized to give 10 days notice to the owners of Lots Numbered 16, 17, 18, 19-22-27 & 28 Lasselleville to bring sidewalks fronting said lots to a proper grade & construct a good plank sidewalk four feet wide. The said plank not to be less than two inches thick.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:
Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Department be and is hereby instructed to report an Ordinance extending the fire limits on Calhoun East to N. Y. & M. R. R.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-
Resolved. That a Committee of three be appointed to confer with Mrs. Kleiber in regard to the opening of Force street.

Which resolution was adopted and Messrs Goshorn Waddington & Morgan were appointed as said Committee.

To the Fire Wardens of 3d Ward submitted following:
To the Gentlemen of the Council:

We have examined the premises spoken of in a resolution of Councilman Shryock by the house on Lot No 5 Block 4 in Ewings Addition and we find that no action of the Council is needed.

L. Dessauer,
Wm Englmeyer.

Which report was concurred in

The following bill was presented and read.

City of Fort Wayne.

To Platt & Wise. 1871

To 1/2 appraising Real estate in the City for the year 1871 C. of H. $ 20.00

Cr.

By City Orders $19.00

Less 10 per cent. dis 1.90 17.10

Net m cash, $ 2.90

By City Order. #179.

Which bill without debate was allowed.

Several bills of Gas Co. amounting to $ 933.55 was on motion referred to Committee on Gas.

The following bills were then allowed.

Bills Allowed	B.L.F. Williard	Street Exp.	24	B.L.F. Williard	3
	Nels. Thompson,	"	8	H.N. Putnam	3
	Emil Renot	"	8	H. Rivers	1
	Henry Schoppman.	"	24	Thos Stevens	3
	John Lynch,	"	24	John [illegible]	3
	M. Minnahan,	"	24	John A. Carroll	4.50
	Isaac Renot,	"	24	M. Cody	3
	Con Cull	"	24	H. Chamberlain	3
	John Bonsol	"	24	W. H. Anderson	3
	John Hoysan	"	16	Chas McAfee	2
	Henry Stier,	"	12	Samuel H. Bloomhuff	1.50
	Henry Brown	"	40	H.T. Wilson	5
	James Ryan	"	48	R.O. [illegible]	6
	W. Reed,	"	48	Geo. D. Crane	3
	James Miner	"	16	P.L. Foster	2
	M Cottrell	"	18	Samuel C. Tripp	2.25
	Chas. Pape.	"	24	J. Brown	3
	Henry Wiebke	"	16	Geo Fisher	2
	Danl McKendry,	"	24	Calvin D. Crane	3
	M. Kelly	"	12.50	Chas. McCulloch	1.50
	A.H. Carier (Finance) ✓	Com. Duties	11	John H. Hill	11.00
	" (Fire Dept) ✓	"	2.75	W. Bennett	3
	" (Hanna St. Abut) ✓	"	2.75	H.V. Sweet	3
	Samuel Shryock (Finance) ✓	"	11.00	Samuel Bard.	1
	W.B. Fisher " "	"	11.00	E.G. Anderson	1
	Louis Dessauer Fire Dept	"	2.75	Geo. Fisher	3
	M. Hedekin Hanna St. Abut	"	2.75	Sam. P. Freeman.	4

[illegible]				[illegible]		Election	4	50
[illegible]				[illegible]baum		"	3	
[illegible]				J. S. Leach	6th Ward.	"	3	
[illegible]				D. Quinlan		"	3	
[illegible]				C. D. Gould.		"	3	
[illegible]				Jacob. Geis		"	4	50
[illegible]				Peter Aller		"	3	
[illegible]				James K. Bradley	7th Ward.	"	3	
W. Kanning		Cent Exp		Chr. Schnorberger		"	3	
Henry [illegible]		[illegible]		Martin Connel		"	3	
[illegible]		[illegible]		Henry Schone		"	4	50
[illegible]	[illegible] Abattoir.	Com Bal		Louis Aman		"	3	
W. Beinz.	9th Ward.	Election		[illegible] Hodgkiss	8th Ward.	"	3	
Adam [illegible]			3	[illegible] Moker.		"	3	
Jno Wefel			3	[illegible]		"	3	
T. [illegible]			3	Conrad Hill	9th Ward	"	3	

[illegible]

No further business coming before Council adjourned to Council in course

Read Approved and Signed in Council this 13 day of June '71.

Attest

Daniel Freeman

City Clerk.

A. P. Randall

Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
June 15 1880

Council met pursuant to adjournment; present his Hon. Mayor Randall in the Chair and a full board of Councilmen.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved, and signed

Petition

Petition read from [illegible] praying Council to pass an Ordiance to compel [illegible] to [illegible] Lasselle Street [illegible] to be fully built to and [illegible] plank sidewalks [illegible] on said Street,

On motion of Councilman [illegible] said petition was laid on the table.

Petition read from J. V. Chapman and 3 [illegible] citizens of Lasselleville praying that Lasselle and Creighton Streets from Lafayette to Harmer Street be opened, also that alley way in rear of Lots [illegible] Lasselleville be opened

Which Petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Remonstrance

Remonstrance read from George DeWald & [illegible] of Lasselleville remonstrating against the opening of Lasselle & Creighton Street also alley way in rear of Lots Nos 61 & 62 Lasselleville

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets

The following petition was read.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

We the undersigned [illegible] respectfully represent that in our judgment [illegible] danger of the removal of the machine and repair shops of the Toledo Wabash and Western Railway from this city unless [illegible] steps are taken by your Hon Body to aid [illegible] ner in the procuring of suitable grounds for the [illegible] erection of their works in this city.

The town of Huntington has made a formal and positive proposition to said Company to make a donation of twenty [illegible] acres of ground on which to erect shops and Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000) in money with strong probabilities of [illegible] each donation to Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000) There are some substantial reasons for the Companys favorable consideration of such a proposition from that point as it [illegible] in a better manufacturing [illegible] in the opinion of many of the citizens thereof, the expenses of operating said Road would be ma-

bonds issued. They also have propositions from Peru and other places offering donations of money and grounds for the establishment of shops at their several points.

And whereas, that a private subscription was made by some of our citizens amounting to Fifteen Thousand ($15,000) for the establishing of shops as they now are in our city, Eight Thousand Dollars ($8,000) of which ever was paid.

Now therefore in as much as this city or County has given aid to the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) over Each and every Road that has been constructed to our city with the single exception of the T. W. V. & K. Ry, above mentioned we do recommend and petition your Hon. Body to cause to be issued the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($30,000) in Bonds of this city on such time as in your judgement is proper, As donation to said Road for the purpose of procuring ground on which to establish permanently their machine and repair shops for the repairs of all machinery necessary for operating said Road between Toledo, O. and Danville, Ills., as well as for the construction of any new Locomotives the Company may hereafter to build themselves and that this in substance shall be made a matter of written contract between the City and Company before the delivery of said Bonds or any part thereof.

[illegible]	Fred Beach.	O. P. Morgan.	Geo. H. Wilson
[illegible] Mahler.	J. D. Embry.	Wm. Meyer.	Meyer, Bro. & Co.
D. H. Rhouff.	Millett Boeger	Wm Miller	B.H. Schneider
H. Boeger	Wm Paul	Conrad Meineke	N. P. Stockbridge
[illegible]	[illegible] Brothers	L.B. Knot	Robert Murphey
[illegible]	Fremon & Bro	Jno McDougal	S. W. Oakley
[illegible]	Wm B. Walter	Murray & Baker	C.W Sander
[illegible] Co	Jacob Kline	Jacob Stulting	M Noll
[illegible]	W. B. Smith	A Hallenslen	Gniebel & Lee
[illegible] Whitehead	M. Glynn	Peter Schulz	M. Himbert
[illegible]	C.D Bird.	Wm J. Pratt	J. H. Thieme
[illegible]	[illegible] Reed.	Geo Fox	M Herman
[illegible]	Chas. Tressell	F. Thieme	Geo Humphrey
[illegible] McVee	C. Tressell	Marx Graff	Kiel & Bro
[illegible]	J. M Jochlinger	Jno L Thum	Jacob Jochlinger
[illegible]	C. McCulloch	O. D. Hurd	Henry M. Williams
[illegible]	M. C. Woodward	B. Trentman	A Trentman
[illegible]	Emmets & Co	Wm H Thacker	F. Schmidhaus
[illegible]	J. W Trentman	J. K Edgerton	Jas L Williams
[illegible]	Jas M Kane	Edwin Evans	Geo De Wald
[illegible]	C. Orff & Co	H. C. Graffe	S. Inelberger
Chas Ernest Heinking	Frank & Thaudemann	J. H. Bass	Knowles & Hamilton

Montgomery Hamilton A.D. Brandriff

Councilman Wadington offered the following resolution in relation to the matter.

Resolved. That the Council grant the prayer of the petitioners and that the petition be referred to the Finance Committee and a committee of four citizens to be appointed by the Mayor with authority to make the necessary arrangements with said Railway company to carry out the wish of the petitioners and report to the next meeting of the Common Council.

Mr. Carver moved an amendment to the effect that Hon. Mayor Randall be added to said committee, which amendment prevailed and the resolution as amended was adopted.

Messrs Bass. C.D. Bond, Hoagland & Williams were appointed to act in the matter, in conjunction with the Mayor & Finance Committee.

Affidavit and petition read from sundry citizens praying for reduction of assessments on Personal Property and Realty.

Which affidavit & petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition read from J. L. Hurst, Mrs. Jno Fleming & others, Heads of lots on Wayne Street between Calhoun & Harrison sts. representing that shade trees had been planted in front of their lots some years ago, and stood in the line of the new curb stones and petitioners prayed that said curb line in said block be set out so as not to injure said trees Petitioners agreeing to [illegible] the grade. On motion the prayer of said petition was granted.

Petition read from Hon. H.B. Waller, Secretary of the Allen County Agricultural and Horticultural Society praying that a committee be appointed to confer with the officers of said Society in regard to enclosing the "Park" property, and that it may be used as a Park, and as a place for holding Fairs

On motion the petition was referred to Com. on Public Grounds

Petition read from C. E. Morse, et.al. residents of Douglass Avenue, praying that said avenue be graded and graveled from the west side of Calhoun street to the east side of McClellan street

Which petition was referred to Com. on Streets.

Petition read from N. H. Myers and others praying that Roches Street sewer be extended westwardly from its present terminus to the Pittsburgh Road.

Which petition was referred to Comm on Sewers.

Petition read from M. Curtis praying Council order Sawmill Street opened from Wyoming street East.

Which petition was referred to Comm on Streets.

Petition read from Chas. Morrell praying that Council enforce the ordinance relative to playing ball on Wayne street corner of Williams. Mr. Buchanan moved that the Marshal be instructed to stop all ball playing on the public streets. Which was unanimously prevailed.

Petition read from Samuel Miller praying for a reduction be made on the improvements on Lot No. 10 Williams Add. as no improvements exist on said lot.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Affidavit and petition read from Daniel Cannan representing that City Order No. 10,227 had been stolen from him and that the same had never been presented to the City Treasurer for payment.

City Clerk stated that the loser of said City order had duly advertised the loss of said Orders and cautioned the public against the purchase of same.

Which affidavit was referred to Comm on Finance.

Petition read from J. L. Williams & 54 others praying Council to appropriate a sum of money for the relief of the suffers of the recent fire & explosion.

On motion of Mr. Carter the matter was referred to Com. on Fire Department with instructions to furnish temporary relief when found of absolute necessity.

Petition read from members of Mechanic Engine and Hose Company for an appropriation of $45. to assist in defraying the expenses incurred at the funeral of Frederick Schlegel.

On motion of Mr. Corhorn the prayer of petition was granted.

A voluminous report read from City Attorney, to whom had been referred Certificates of Treasurer, for property of

Dr M. Golnick sold by Treasurer for Delinquent Taxes, to Wm Fleming. stating that Mr Fleming was entitled to have the money refunded with 6 per cent. interest from date of certificate

On motion of Mr Fisher the clerk was instructed to report the amount in City Order to Mr Fleming.

Geo H Wilson submitted the following:

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Your Committee to whom was referred the affidavit of John R. Evans wherein he swears that he was not a resident of the city on the 1st day of January 1874 or any time since and therefore not liable to taxation in the city, would respectfully report that the assessment made against him be stricken from the Duplicate the clerk certify to the Treasurer to that effect.

H B Fisher,
Geo H Wilson, } Com on Finance.
Jno W Bull,

Which report was concurred in.

Geo H Wilson submitted the following:

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of John Dean asking a reduction of assessment on Lot 3 Block 31 Ewings addition would respectfully report that a deduction of $200 be made on said assessment and that the clerk certify to the Treasurer said deduction

H B Fisher,
Geo H Wilson, } Com on Finance.
Jno W Bull,

Which report was concurred in.

Geo H Wilson submitted the following:

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Fort Wayne Gas Co praying a reduction of assessment on improvements, would respectfully report the sum of 3,053.17 to be deducted from the assessment, which amount was added by the Board of Equalization without any warrant of law and that the clerk certify to the Treasurer the amount so deducted.

H.B. Fisher
Geo H Wilson } Com on Finance.
J.W. Bull

Common Streets submitted the following:

To the Mayor & Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of A.H. Bowen asking a side walk be ordered [illegible] the west side of Lot 343 Hamans Add. would report that they have examined the premises and found it as represented in the petition; they also found that the sidewalk on the west side of Lot 343, same addition owned by said Bowen is about as in a bad condition as the one he complains of.

Therefor your Committee would recommend that the owners of said Lots 343 & 344 be notified to build within 20 days a sidewalk 4 feet wide with good oak plank 2½ inches thick and 8 inches wide, and in default thereof, the street Commissioner be instructed to have the same done and charge the costs to said owners.

A.H. Carier Chairman
Common Streets

Which report was concurred in and Atty instructed to give property holders the necessary notice.

Com on Streets submitted following report:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of David Brenner asking for time to put down stone flagging on [illegible] front of Sub 9, of Lots Nos 485-486-487-488 Hamans Addition West Wayne street would report in favor of said petition by giving said petitioner until Sept. 15th next; to have said sidewalk made, and in case of failure on his part that the Street Commissioner be authorized to have the same done and the expenses thereof collected from said David Brenner.

A.H. Carier, Chairman
Com on Streets.

Which report was concurred in. Com on Streets recommended that the appointments made by St. Comr be confirmed by Council. Which rept was concurred in

[illegible] to report adversely to remonstrance of [illegible] remonstrating against grading & gravelling Lewis street

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets to whom had been referred petition of D. Nesbe et al, praying for abolishment of alleged nuisance on Wells street recommended that said petition be referred to Board of Health.

Which report was concurred in and City Clerk instructed to return said petition to said Board.

Com. on Public Grounds submitted the following report

To his Hon. the Mayor & Hon Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of contracting for the sprinkling the streets around the public buildings of the city would report that we have failed to contract with any one. but would submit for your consideration the proposition of Charles Pape & C. F. Myers for sprinkling around the Market-House and on Court-street front of Engine House, also Columbia st., Fire Engine House & ninth.

C. F. Myers proposes to sprinkle that portion south of Engine House on Berry street for one dollar per month.

Saml Shryock,
John Shopf. } Committee.
Conrad Zimmel

Mr. Fisher moved the report be referred back to committee, Mr. Washington moved to amend by laying the report on the table. Which amendment prevailed.

Commissioners appointed to act in accordance with Section 63, reported as follows

Gentlemen of the Council:

Your Committee appointed to assess the benefits and damages in the Opening and extension of Douglass street report that they met in the Common Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne for that purpose and after having made an examination of the premises are of the opinion that the ordinance extending said street should be so amended as to extend said street parallel with street from the west. As it is now proposed to open said street it will all come off of one property owner We recommend the amendment so that an equal portion may come off of each property owner adjoining

John M. Neal
D. C. Wilson
[illegible] } Commissioners

On motion the report was refered to Com on Streets.

Commissioners appointed to act in accordance with Section 63. reported as follows:

Gentlemen of the Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee appointed assess the benefits and damages accruing to the owners of lots and lands through which streets may be opened and extended, [illegible]

This 12th day of June 1871 did assess the Bene-
fits and damages accruing to the owners of lots and lands in
the opening and extending Force street from its present Southern
terminus through Hamma's Out-lots Numbered 28-27-26-25
& 23 & 22 to Whitney street, N.L.

That they heretofore assessed the damages and benefits to said
said out-lots and all matters as required
to said report; they now report that they find
that the North half of Out-Lot No 25 belongs to and is owned by
Bridget Curtis; the South half is owned by Terrence Martin.
Out-lot 24 is owned by Bass and Hamma; the South half of Out-lot No
23 is owned by J. Rensmint; the North half of said Out-lots 23 is
owned by Bass & Hamma; Out-lot No 22 is owned by Eliza Hamma, and
we find that the strip of land 60 feet-104½ feet which will be taken
in opening said street through the North half of Out-Lot No 25 is of
the value of $175; and we find that the strip of land 60 by 104½ feet
which will be taken in opening said street through the South half of
said lot No 25 is of the value of $175. We find that the City should
pay one fourth of this.

We find further that the north half of said lot is benefitted in
the sum of $175. and said half lots are not damaged at all.

We find that the strip of land 60 feet by 209½ feet necessary
to be taken from out-lot No 24 in opening said street is of the value
of $350. We find that the city shall pay all of this sum. We
find that said lot is neither benefitted or damaged further than the
loss of said strip of land.

We find that the strip of land 60 feet by 104 6/12 feet which
will be taken in opening and extending said street through
the North half of Out-lot No 23 is of the value of $175; that the
City should pay one fourth of this sum. We find that said half lot
is neither benefitted or damaged except the loss of said strip of
land.

We find further that the strip of land 60 feet by 104½ feet
to be taken from the South half of said out-lot No 23 is
of the value of $175. We find that the city should pay the whole of
this. We find that said half lot is neither benefitted or damaged
except the loss of said strip of land.

60 feet by 159 ½ feet necessary to be taken
and extending said street through Out-lot No 22
is of the value of $350. We find that the city should pay the whole
of this. We find that said lot is neither benefitted or dam-
aged by the opening of said street, except the loss of said strip

of Land.

John M. Hoile
Henry Delone
B. M. Trentman

Which report was referred to Committee on Streets.

Committee on Fire Department reported favorably to bill of M. Chamberlain for labor performed on House of Hose Company

Which report was concurred in.

C. to Engineer submitted following report

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen:

The [illegible] street from Harrison street to Fairing street has been [illegible] to contract, and I am [illegible] on estimate of same and assist such committee as may be appointed to contract benefits to property.

Very respectfully
C. L. Brackenridge
City Engineer

Which report was received and placed on file. Mr. Henry appointed in addition to the regular Committee on Claims Messrs. Baier, Ehrlich, Eaglmeyer & Hamm to revise the assessments for the ensuing year.

City Engineer submitted Contract with Neil McKay for grading and gravelling Berry street from Calhoun street to Broadway and for laying gutters on said street between said points, which read in these words and figures to-wit:

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 18th day of June A. D. 1872 by and between Neil McKay of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part:

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and gravel Berry street from the east line of Baltimore street to Broadway; Also to place with cobble stone the gutters on both sides of said street between said points as set forth the following prices to-wit: For grading per cubic yard [illegible] from

[illegible] per lineal foot One and 13/100 Dollars ($1,13)
For Paving gutters per lineal foot Thirty cents (0,30)
Repaving " " " " Twenty " (0,20)
Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at the time of, from the owners of the property bordering on said street between said points, and from the Common Council for the crossing of Streets and alleys and for the grading in Corporation Orders bearing 6% per cent interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any claims remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor on the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk and hereto forming a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to Cass Street in Bloomingdale as shall be directed by the City Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the First day of October 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the City Engineer, and completed by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set their hands the day and year above written

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
T. S. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer

Neil McKay (seal)

PROPOSAL.

To grade and gravel Berry street from the West line of Calhoun street to Broadway; also for paving with cobble stone the gutters ~~on~~ on both sides of said street between said points.

To the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work & furnish all materials and labor according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City

City Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

From	Calhoun	Street to	Harrison	Street	1.73	.34	.20	.10
	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
	Fulton		[illegible]		[illegible]
The Crossings of Streets & Alleys					[illegible]

Neil McKay Contractor.

Fort Wayne May 9 1871

To the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:- If you award to Neil McKay the above work or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract- to do said work, according to Specifications.

D. H. Bloomhuff

A. J. Emerick

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Neil McKay, D. H. Bloomhuff and A. J. Emerick of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound ~~unto~~ to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, the Payment whereof well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Neil McKay shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 9th day of June 1871, with the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then the obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Witness Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Two Dollars Stamp

Neil McKay [Seal]

D. H. Bloomhuff [Seal]

A. J. Emerick [Seal]

State of Indiana, }
Allen County. }

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, on this 13th day of June, 1871, the above named

Mc Kay, S H Blumhuff and A J Emrick and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond for the purposes therein expressed,

Witness, my hand and Official Seal, the day and year aforesaid.

D. P. Randall (Seal of the City of Fort Wayne)
Mayor

Which Contract and Bond was approved.

City Clerk, in conformity with resolution offered by Mr Hoch and adopted by Council last meeting respectfully submitted the following Report of City Treasurer for Month ending May 3rd 1871.

Jno. C. Shoemaker City Treas.
In account with the City of Fort Wayne,

To Bal. from C. Pickenbrink (Ex Treas) Report (No 28)
" May 4th 1871, $942.86
" Collections on Duplicate 184.23
" " " Liquor License 51.00
" " " Peddlers " 17.00
" " " House Rent 4.00
" " " Receipts 26.50 1255.59
94.86
1273

Credit

By City Orders Redeemed, 306.28
" Coupons paid 35.00
" Fire Depart " 34.00
" C. C. Engineer " 1.00 376.28
Bal on hand $879.31

Of this Bal on hand, Fund on hand, and
788.9 miles Interest money

On motion of Mr Goshorn the Clerk was instructed to read each City order, after the reading of several of the orders further reading was dispensed of, and the Report concured in.

City Clerk submitted the following Report of the Receipts and Expenditures for the Fiscal year ending April 30th 1871. :

To the Hon Mayor and
Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne;
Gentlemen.

In conformity with
an Ordinance prescribing an Ordinance prescribing the duties

of City Clerk, I submit to your Honorable Body, the financial condition of said city for the Fiscal year ending April 30 1871.

The Treasurer on the 1st day of May [illegible]

Balance on Treasury [illegible]

[illegible]

Balance Water Rents [illegible]

Delinquent Taxes [illegible]

D. C. Taxes [illegible]

Receipts from May 1st 1870 to April [illegible]

State of Virginia 2nd Horse on Hill Fire Dept [illegible]

Collections of Taxes [illegible]

" " Fines [illegible]

" " Licenses [illegible]

" " Interest [illegible]

Interest Coupons from Bonds [illegible]

Contractors [illegible]

Road Labor Tax [illegible]

Rent of House [illegible]

Warrants May 1st 1871

City Orders Outstanding [illegible]

Due Police Officers Salaries [illegible]

Unpaid Coupons on Bonds [illegible]

City Bonds outstanding & unpaid May 1st 18[illegible]

Park [illegible]

School [illegible]

G.R.R.R. [illegible]

Con. Loan [illegible]

[illegible] R.R. [illegible]

Fire Dept [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The undersigned Committee of Finance met at the office of the City Clerk on Friday evening June 9th 1871 examined the within report and found the same correct as shown by the books of said City.

H. C. Fisher

C. Wilson

Committee of Finance.

Which report was ordered to be [illegible]

Market-Master submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen: I have in accordance with Section 18 Chapter 17 disposed of and sold to rent from the East End Market-House, the following number of Stalls and Stands, to wit:

12 Butcher Stalls renting to $97
27 Stands (outside) 22 50
$119 50

Very respectfully
William Schneider
M. Master.

Which report was approved of.

City Assessor submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen: Having performed my duties as Assessor I would respectfully represent to your Honorable Body that inasmuch as several alterations have been made in the Assessment list by one of my Deputies, I cannot in justice to myself and the Community at large make oath that the same is correct.

Very Respectfully
E.L. Pens,
Assessor.

On motion the returned list was referred back to Assessor, to act in conjunction with a committee of three consisting of Messrs Bradway, Wilson & Wilson with full power and authority to correct any discrepancies in said assessment known to them.

An Ordinance to grade and gravel Lewis street from the East side of Calhoun street to Hanna street, (sec. 3.) was read a third time. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Trenmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Washington and Wilson (11) Nays Tower. (1) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street from Calhoun street to Hoagland Avenue, (sec. 6.) was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trenmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Washington & Wilson (15) Nays None. So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to Grade and Plank the Sidewalks on the West side of Calhoun Street from Lot Number One in Williams Addition thence South to the City limits, (No. 7.) was read a third time; the question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carics, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Keegan, Morgan, Shuff, Stoll, Shryock Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (13) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade and gravel Calhoun street from the South Side of the Toledo and Wabash and Western Railroad, south to the City limits (No. 8.) was read a second time now. On motion of Mr. Goshorn the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carics, Dessauer, Fisher, Keegan, Morgan, Shuff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (15). Nays (none.) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass. All voting in the affirmative except Mr. Tower, so the Bill was passed.

Council Morgan introduced an Ordinance (No. 9.) to grade to a width of ten (10) feet and pave to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from George street to Main street & was read a first time now. On Motion of Mr. Morgan the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carics, Dessauer, Fisher, Hanna, Keegan, Morgan, Shuff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson, (14) Nays (none) not voting, absent from the room, Goshorn. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read by its title a second time now.

An Ordinance to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Lawson street to Butler street (No. 5.) was introduced by Mr. Keegan and read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Shuff the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read by its title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carics, Dessauer, Fisher, Hanna, Keegan, Morgan, Shuff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Wadington and Wilson (13) Nays none. Not voting absent from the room Goshorn & Underhill (2). So the rules were suspended, and Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Dessauer introduced an Ordinance, (No. 6.) to grade and gravel Douglas Avenue from the west side of

Calhoun Street west, to the East side of Mc Clellan Street, which was read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Bossauer the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read by its a title a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Bossauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Shoaff, Stoll, Shryock, Samuel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (13) Nays None (0). So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read by its title a second time now.

Councilman Wadington introduced and Ordinance to amend Section One of Chapter Eleven of the Ordinances of the City of Fortwayne, passed and adopted on the 24th day of May 1866. being an Ordinance to fix the Fire Limits of said city (66. 2.) which was read a first time now. Mr. Morgan moved for the suspension of the rules, in order to have the Ordinance read by its title a second time now, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Bossauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Shoaff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Samuel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (15). Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a 2d time by its title now.

Councilman Fisher offered the following:
Resolved, That the Financial Report of the City Clerk be published in the city papers, viz:- Fort Wayne "Sentinel" "Gazette" "Staats Zeitung" "Journal" & "Republican"

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following:
Resolved, That Doctors Isaac M. Rosenthal, John M. Josse and A. C. Spaulding be and are hereby appointed to constitute the Board of Health of the City of Fort Wayne, to serve as for the ensuing year and until their successors are appointed and qualified.

A motion was made to insert the names of Messrs Meyers and Woodworth in place of Messrs Josse & Spaulding. Those voting in favor of the amendment were Bull, Fisher, Goshorn, Hamma, Morgan, Tower, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (9) Nays Bradway Carier Bossauer Hogan Shoaff Stoll Shryock Samuel & Tagtmeyer (7) His Honor the Mayor having the deciding vote, voted in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:
Resolved That the Committee on Gas be and are hereby instructed to have a lamp post put up on North West corner of Broadway

and Jefferson streets."

Which resolution was adopted

On motion Council went into ballot for the purpose of electing Police force for the ensuing year, Hon Mayor appointing Messrs Cramer and Wilson as tellers

Patrick Mc Gee and Frederick W. Linnecorty's names were proposed as Chief Mr Mc Gee received 12 votes and Mr Linnecorty 5. Mr. Mc Gee having over the majority of all the votes cast was declared duly elected, 1 councilman voting a blank.

Frederick Richmon receiving no election was declared duly elected patrolman from the 1st ward. [illegible]

The name of Chas Waltmath from the 1st ward was proposed as candidate for patrolman, and in the office manner of voting cast blank, Mr. Waltmath having receid all the votes but was declared duly elected.

On motion the election of Frederick Myers as patrolman from the second was made unanimous.

The names of David Robison, Jno Kressler & Sheridan Void were proposed as candidates for patrolman from the 3rd ward, the following is the result

Robison	13.
Kressler	1
Sheridan	2
Void	1
Blank	1

Total votes 18.

Mr Robison having receid a majority of all the votes cast was declared duly elected.

On motion the election of M. Singleton as patrolman from the 3rd Ward was made unanimous

On motion the election of Jesse Dalton as patrolman from the 3rd Ward was made unanimous

On motion the election of Wm Borgman as patrolman from the fourth ward was made unanimous

The names of John Lehr, F. Kreling & Gahne, were put in nomination for patrolman from the 5th ward, resulting as follows

John Lake and others
Yeas ... 6 "
Nays ... 1
Blank ... 1 Total Vote 8

Whereupon there was cast the majority of all the votes [illegible] declared duly elected.

On motion, the election of John McCann, of the 6th Ward, as patrol[illegible] was declared unanimous

On motion the election of John E. Robbins as patrolman from the 7th Ward was declared unanimous

On motion the election of William Gary (from the 8th Ward) as patrolman [illegible] unanimous

On motion the election David Hill, as patrolman from the 9th Ward [illegible] unanimous.

Councilman Hoshorn offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be authorized to purchase Ten thousand feet of pine lumber for the purpose of repairing Nicolson Pavement.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carter offered the following:
Resolved That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to put four crossing at alley on Montgomery Street between Wanna and Monroe streets as per grade on said street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tower offered the following:
Resolved, That the amount due Platt J. Wise for services as Assistant City Assessor be paid in City Orders.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bull offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of Lots 96, 99 and the South 1/2 of 85, Original Plat, to pave the sidewalks bordering on said lots, on Court Street, with Stone flagging, within 30 days from date of notice, and in default of ~~the~~ same, said Street Commissioner is further instructed to construct the same in accordance with Section 4 of Chapter 31 of the Revised Ordi

nances of the City of Fort Wayne.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Keenan offered the following
Owners of lots 94 & 96 D.P. to build sidewalk
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to notify the owners of Lots 94 & 96, D.P. to construct within 20 days from date of notice a good brick sidewalk, 8 feet wide and according to grade, in front of said lots and in default thereof, said Street Commissioner be authorized to have said work done and the costs of the same charged to and collected in the usual way from said owners.
Which resolution was adopted.

City not to pay for grading and
Mr. Irwin offered a resolution to the effect that the City should not in future, pay for grading of streets preparatory to gravelling or paving. Which resolution was laid on the table.

Lane around gas house
Councilman Offered the following:
Whereas, The lumber yard situated on the corner of Wall & Main streets is by reason of not being enclosed, creates nuisances of daily occurrence and danger more especially at night to persons passing by, therefore
Be it Resolved, That the owner of said lumber yard be notified by the Street Commissioner to build within ten days a good board fence around said lot. Said fence to be on front and east of said lot made of tight boards, not less than 6 feet high; and in case of failure in doing the same, within the time above specified the Street Commissioner be authorized to have said fence constructed the costs of same charged to and collected in the usual way from the owner.

Referred to Committee
On motion the above resolution was referred to a select committee consisting of Messrs Underhill, Keenan & Clingerman.

Motion reconsidered
On motion of Mr. Bull the vote on appropriating $45.00 to Mechanic Fire Co. was reconsidered.

Referred
On motion the matter of appropriating $45.00 to Mechanic Fire Co. was referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Bids opened
On motion the proposals heretofore advertised for by the Engineer to construct a double ring egg shaped brick sewer on Wolman street from the east line of Barr street to Lafayette street, being an extension of the present sewer on said street, were opened and read as follows:

The undersigned hereby propose to construct the above

named Sewer, furnish all labor and materials, and do all the work required according to the Plans and Specifications of the same on, and for the following prices

	Price per Lin. Yard for Excavating	Price per Lin. Yard for Filling	Extra price per Lin. Yard for Excavating in Rock	Price per Lin. Yard for Sewer Pipe including Manholes and Inlets	Price per Lin. Yard for Sewer Pipe including Manholes and Inlets and Filling per Lineal Foot 12 Inch		9 Inch		6 Inch		Price per Lin. Yard for Sewer Pipe including Manholes and Inlets and Filling per Lineal Foot EACH	
	DOLLS	CTS	DOLLS	CTS	DOLLS	CTS	DOLL	CTS	DOLLS	CTS	DOLL	CTS
JOHN W. LANGOHR.		40	3	95	1	00		90		75	38	
PATRICK McLEAN.		35	4	79	1	20	1	00		60	20	
JOHN [illegible]		30	4	60	1	15		99		77	21	
KNUDOP & MOELLERING.		35	3	95	1	00		90		75	38	
W.H. MYERS		31	4	49	1	10	1	00		79	39	00

Which proposals were referred to Committee on Sewers with instructions to retire to ante room examine and compare said bids and report the lowest and best bidder.

Committee on Sewers reported as follows:

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council;

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the several bids for constructing the Extension of the Common Shed Sewer have examined the same, and would recommend that the contract for said work be awarded to Knudop and Moellering.

John B. Morgan } Committee
Timothy Hogan. }

Which report was concurred in and C. C. Engineer instructed to draw up Contract with Messrs Knudop & Moellering.

On motion, the City Clerk was instructed to give the necessary notice that the Board of Equalization would meet on the 28th of June 1871, to equalize assessments returned by Assessor.

The following bills were then allowed.

D.L.P. WILLIARD.	Streets.		81	H. STIERS.	34
[illegible]			37	50 J. LYNCH,	36
[illegible]			24	H SCHOPPMANN.	35
JOHN STIERS			21	J. BONFOI.	29
[illegible] P. WATTERS.			15	C. CULL.	35
N. THOMPSON.			36	J. HOGAN.	30
E. RENOT			35	L. RENOT.	

	E. RYAN	
	J. RYAN	
	W. RETD.	
	H. BROWN	
	D. M. KENDRICK	
	M. KELLY	
	[illegible]	
	H. TRIER	
	[illegible]	
	SENTINEL	
	"	
	"	
	"	
	"	
	"	
	GAZETTE	
	"	
	"	
	"	

Approved

Seal Affixed

Seal Affixed and Signed

In Open Council this [illegible] day of [illegible]

Attest

Town Clerk

F. A. Randall

Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment; present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the chair, and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Cramer, Fisher, Graham, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trentman, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Washington & Wilson, Absent- Messrs. Hamilton & Hamm (2)

Records of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition read from Jno Taylor representing that by some means, Lots Nos 2, 4, 5, 7, 15 & 16 Homestead Addition were erroneously assessed being higher than that of property in immediate vicinity and Petitioner therefore prays for relief.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Petition read from Jno Taylor et al praying Council to pass Ordinance for construction of Sidewalks on Harmer St. from Washington to the Maumee road, from Harmer st to Elm st on the South side, and College Street on the North side.

Which petition was referred to Com on streets.

Petition read from C. D. Bond, et al. representing that Creighton st. should be extended from Fairfield Avenue to Miner street by property owners and they prayed that said street be extended to Broadway as petitioned.

Which Petition was referred to Com on Streets.

Petition read from J. C. Smith et al praying for construction of Gutters at the intersection of Hoagland Avenue and Butler Street

On motion of Mr. Hogan the prayer of the petitioners was granted. Mr. Bradway moved to reconsider the vote just given on granting prayer of said petition which motion prevailed. Mr. Tower moved that the petition be referred to Committee on Streets, Mr. Bradway moved to amend by referring said petition to Committee on Fire Department. The motion to amend prevailing, the petition was finally referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Petition read from August Spiegel praying for opening an alley (10 feet wide) on the North side of Wall Street at the South west- corner of Lot No 1 Edsalls addition, thence north along the west-

line of said Lot No 1 to the North west corner of said Lot; Thence East parralled with Wall Stret across the North end of Lots Numbered 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9 & 10 in Edsalls addition, and along the North side of Lot Numbered 11 in Walls addition to the west line of Hurd St.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Streets

Remonstrance recd from Chas. Kimmel, praying Council not to pass an Ordinance, at present, to grade and gravel Douglas Avenue

On motion said petition was laid on the table.

Petition recd from C. A. Rockers representing that he is the owner of Lot No 489, Hurds add. and that he has leased the same for a number of years and that the lessee desired to erect a large building on said lot and contemplated putting down a [illegible] going printing office. Petitioner therefore prays that he may be allowed until the 1st of next October to fix up said walk.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets

Petition recd from Jno B. Clauss praying for permission to retail beer on Broadway, free of the usual license fees

Which petition was laid on the table

Petition recd from T. Martin et al, praying Council to open a Street (name unknown) running from Jay St, West to Summit Alley and continue said Street west through Out Lot No 24, until same intersects Hanna Street, South of said Street

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

The following report was recd from Com. on Streets.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of A. H. Hamilton, agent of the Estate of Allen Hamilton, dec'd in regard to the assessment of certain real estate belonging to said Estate, would report as follows:

That said Estate owns in one body a tract of land in the City, containing 12 85/100 acres. Situated on said tract is the residence of Mrs Allen Hamilton, also the residence of A. H. Hamilton. From said tract of land the Executor has leased the following parcels, to wit:

50 x 162 ft	to	Chas. Emery
50 x 162 "	"	Chas. S. Emery
50 x 162 "	"	R. S. Robertson
50 x 144 "	"	Felix Communeau
47 x 144 "	"	Evangelical Christian Ass'n

[illegible] Section 84 of the Act of 1869 is as follows:
"If more than 5 acres of farming land shall be
subject to taxation by such City."

Your Committee are of opinion that said tract of land
comes under the head of farming land except the parcels said
above excepted and would therefore report that 5 acres of said
tract of land be assessed at $18.00 and the improvements
thereon at $12.00, and that the parcels taken from said
tract and leased be returned on the duplicate against which
they were returned as follows:

77 x 165	Leased to Henry Fleming	$ 6.00
[illegible]	" " Chas. A. Bussey	6.00
81 x 165	" " R. A. Robertson	6.00
82½ x 165	" — Sullivan	4.00
82½ x 165	" Geo. Keil	4.00

and that the improvements on said leased lots be charged
against the parties holding said leases, if not already
so taxed.

P. B. Fisher, Committee
J. M. Bull, on
Geo. H. Wilson, Finance

Which Report was concurred in.

The following report was received from the Committee on Finance
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council —

Gentlemen: Your Committee
to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Miller, wherein
he states that certain improvements were assessed against him
on Lot 6 in Williams addition would report that no im-
provements exist on said lot and that the Clerk certify the
same to the Treasurer and refund the petitioner the
amount of taxes for said improvements.

P. B. Fisher, Committee
Geo. H. Wilson, on
J. M. Bull, Finance

Which Report was concurred in.

The following report was received from the Committee on Finance
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council —

Gentlemen: Your Committee
to whom was referred the petition of Jules Albert, asking for

[illegible] would respectfully report [illegible]

[illegible]

Which Report was confirmed in

Committee on Finance submitted following report

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Jacob Gluting praying for a reduction of assessment on Lot 57 O.P. would report that a reduction of $500 be made making the assessment $2,500 instead of $3000.

H. H. Foster
Geo H. Nelson } Committee
H. Bull

Report read from Committee on Fire Department reported adversely to an appropriation of $45.00 to Mechanic Firemen; and also reported adversely to an appropriation of $25 Jacob Klegmeyer.

Which report was confirmed in.

Committee on Fire Department submitted following report

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of numerous taxpayers and citizens would report that we have visited nearly all of the disabled Firemen and find them all getting along as well as could be expected. The following is a list of names of those that have suffered most from the effects of the fire. Also their present condition

Thos Mannix, Chief Engineer,

Badly burnt in face, neck and arms, is recovering very slowly.

Robt. Shaw.

Badly burnt in face and on arms and legs – is now able to be out. But it will be some time before he will be able to attend to any business

F. E. Bell,

Badly burned in face and on arms; is now able to be out; but will be some time before he can attend to his business on account of his hands.

Henry Bogen

Badly burnt on face and on hands, but will be able to go to work in a week or ten days.

John Hayes.

Badly burnt in face and arms and hands; is now getting but it will be several weeks before he can perform any labor.

John Wyatt

Very badly burnt in face and arms, is now suffering very much from the effects of the burns in his ears. It will be some weeks before he will be able to attend to business.

Geo. Kayser.

Slightly burned, now attending to business

Byron Kiser.

Badly burnt on face and arms. Is now getting better and able to be out; but it will be sometime before he is entirely well.

Saml. Fletter.

Burnt, but not very severely; is now almost well.

Edward Wa[illegible].

Severely burnt on face and arms. Is now getting better but will be some time before he is entirely well, but he is able to be out.

John Dennis.

Severely burnt on face and arms. Is now getting better, but very slowly. It will be some time before he will be able to be out.

Finger Wright.

Badly burnt on face and arms, but is now get-[illegible] He is one of the Torch boys and was almost dead when taken from the cellar. Will be some time before he can perform any labor.

[illegible]

Badly burnt on face and arms, is now getting but have not seen him for a few days.

[illegible]

Burnt in face and hands. Is getting better, but have not seen him for a few days.

August Lordi—

Badly burnt. Your committee have not seen him but are told he is well cared for.

John Trammel.

Badly burnt on face and hands and a cut on head. Is now much better and will be at work in a few days.

Henry Richards.

Burnt on face and hands. Is almost well and will be able to be at work in a few days.

E. Rohley.

Crippled leg. Is now getting better but cannot tell when he will be at work.

Wm Blackwell,

Badly burnt in face. Is getting better and is now able to be out.

Your committee in visiting the above named persons and Friedman found them all well cared for. Mannix was in a very critical condition and in great need of extra nursing. We procured a day nurse for him during the time he is improving. Your committee would also state that we have advanced $5.00 to Henry Richards to pay the nurse employed to take care of Mr. Mannix.

Your committee would also respectfully suggest that the following allowances be made to the disabled persons.

Names.	Remarks	No. of days	Number of days	No. of weeks	Amount to be paid	Total amount
Thos. Mannix	(12 days night, 17 days)	29	17	5 1/7	58	109
F. F. Boltz		17	17	5 1/7	34	63
Henry Myers		17	17	5 1/7	34	63
John Meyers		17	17	5 1/7	34	63
John Graffe		17	17	5 1/7	34	63
Byron Kiser		17	17	5 1/7	34	63
Ed. Downey		17½	17½	5 1/7	35	65

												Total
			17	17	51	00	34	00				85
			17	17	51		34					85
			17	17	51		34					85
			17	17	51		34					85
			17	17	51		34					85
			17	17	51		34					85
				17	51							51
			6	6	18		12					30
				8			24					24
				3			9					9
				3			9					9
				3			9					9
				17			34					34
				8			24					24
		at $2.00 per day)		15			30					30

The above is recommended on condition that the City does not hold themselves responsible for medecines or Doctor's bills, or any other claim whatever.

W. Washington } Committee
W.B. Fusher. }

Which report was concurred in and City Clerk instructed to pay monthly Rolls the above named persons the respective amounts opposite their respective names.

Committee on Gas to whom was referred bills of Gas Co., reported bills correct and recommended the payment thereof, without further delay.

Which report was concurred in

Com. on Education submitted following report:

Your Committee on Education have examined the School Buildings on the corner of Clay & Washington and also that on the corner Jefferson and Fifth Streets and find them in need of the following repairs.

The Clay Street Building, new floor two (2) new partitions with doors and Sliding Blackboards painting and calsomining; about-

about 100 feet fence on Washington street, and 70 feet on Clay street; new desks in over room, roof - plastering, [illegible] to be repaired. The Jefferson street building needs new outside steps front and rear, new flooring painting and calsumining and repairing of desks, out-houses and fences.

We also call the attention of the Council to the fact that the schools are now in vacation, and will continue so until the middle of August at which time all repairs ought to be completed.

Which report was [illegible]

Committee on Streets submitted the following

[illegible]

to whom was referred the report of the Commissioners [illegible] to opening and extending Douglas street, would respectfully report in favor of the recommendation of said Commissioners to amend the Ordinances for said extension that a connection be made with the present western termination of Douglas Street and the Eastern termination of the Street running East and West through Clark's addition.

[illegible]

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted following report

[illegible]

whom was referred the petition of J.N. Chapman, [illegible] and others asking for the opening of Lasselle and Creighton streets in Lasselleville, report that they have carefully examined the premises, that in their judgement they find there is no necessity whatever at present for the opening of said streets - more especially Lasselle street bordering which there is no buildings and consequently no person or family living. It would only cause unnecessary expenses to the City where no one would be benefitted by.

We would however report in favor of opening the alley North of Lots 61 & 62, Lasselleville running North & South between St. Francis and Lasselle Street and that notice [illegible] the proper persons to have the same done within 60 days from date.

[illegible]

Chairman

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted following report

[illegible]

whom was referred the petition of C. E. Morse and others for grading

and opening Ivy Ave. Avenue from the West side of Calhoun street to the East side of Pinckney Street, report in favor of said petition.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets reported adversely to petition of M. Cavello praying for the opening of Summit Street.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets reported as follows:

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Commissioners in regard to the opening and extension of Pine Street with its present terminus would report that for the present there is no urgent necessity for said extension of said street and that they fail to see any reason why the city should pay over One Thousand Dollars for a right-of-way for said portion of said street while other more valuable property nearer to the business portion of the city was not any damages whatever.

Your Committee would therefore report in favor of laying said Commissioners petition on the table and that any action regarding the extension of Pine street be dropped for the present.

A. H. Carter, Chairman
Committee on Streets.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

We your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition for extending Poplar Street have after a careful examination personally, reported as follows, to wit; That in extending the said sewer as petitioned for, it will necessarily pass through private property almost its entire length, and the right-of-way can only be procured through difficulty and cost. But we consider such improvement necessary but would recommend that further action be deferred until a final settlement is made of the T. W. & W. R. W. shops from which only a settlement upon.

D. L. Goshorn
Jno B. Morgan } Committee
Tim Horgan

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Public Grounds submitted following report:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter relative to the rent of certain house supposed to be the

property of the city, situated on the Park grounds. That after due investigation of the same, that the house referred to is built upon that portion of said Park which the city heretofore donated to the P.W. J. & B. R.R. under certain conditions. Therefore your Committee think the city has no claim on said house.

Paul Dwyer
Conrad Poppenhusen } Committee
Peter Wolff }

Which report was received.

Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings submitted the following report

To the Hon. the Mayor & Council

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of the Secretary of the Nassau County Agricultural and Horticultural Society report that we have conferred with the Secretary of said Society in relation to the subject, and proposed a joint arrangement by which the grounds known as the City Park may be fitted up and inclosed in order that it may be used by the City and the Agricultural Society as expressed in the petition.

Your Committee are fully satisfied that the Ground, it location and water privileges are well adapted for such purposes and use. Nevertheless, we have not been able to consumate any joint-arrangement and therefore would suggest that a Committee of three be appointed to investigate the matter more fully.

Paul Dwyer
Conrad Poppenhusen } Committee
Peter Wolff }

after considerable debate, the report was referred to a Special Committee of three to be appointed by the Chair.

His Honor the Chairman thereupon appointed said Committee Messrs. Washington Wilson and Hall.

Committee on Sewer Assessments submitted the following Assessment in favor of John W. Lewis for constructing one hundred and eighteen (118) inch pipe sewer with Trap Inlets and Connections on Pearl Street from Fulton Street to the Harrison Street Sewer which was on Motion received and ordered to be filed.

OWNERS NAMES		Front Feet			Depth	Rate	MENT	TOTAL	ADDITION

HARRISON St. to MAIDEN LANE.

[illegible]		546	–	50	–	–	58		1	57	59 57	Hamm.a
[illegible]	S/s	547		25	–	–	29		1	57	30 57	"
[illegible]	W/s	"		"	–	–	29		1	57	30 57	"
[illegible]	E/s	548		"	–	–	14	50			14 50	"
[illegible]	S10.3/4	"		"	–	–	14	50			14 50	"
[illegible]	N/s	"		50	–	–	29		1	57	30 57	"
[illegible]		549		"	–	–	58		1	57	59 57	"
[illegible] (Wlrs)		561		"	–	–	31		1	57	32 57	"
[illegible]		560		"	14	40	31		1	57	46 97	"
[illegible]		559		"	–	–	31		1	57	32 57	"

MAIDEN LANE to EWING Street.

[illegible]		1		20	–	–	11	60		78	12 38	[illegible]
[illegible]		2		"	–	–	11	60		78	12 38	Ditto
[illegible]		15		"	–	–	11	60		–	11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		16		"	–	–	11	60		–	11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		3		"	–	–	11	60		78	12 38	Ditto
[illegible]		14		"	–	–	11	60		–	11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		4		"	–	–	11	60		78	12 38	Ditto
[illegible]		13		"	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		15		"	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		6		"	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		7		"	–	–	11	60	1	57	12 38	Ditto
[illegible]		8		10	–	–	5	80			5 80	Ditto
[illegible]		9		"	–	–	5	80			5 80	Ditto
[illegible]		10		20	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		11		"	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]		12		"	–	–	11	60			11 60	Ditto
[illegible]	E. 30 ft of	553	1	30	–	–	34	80			34 80	Hamm
[illegible]	E 20 "	–	11		–	–						Ewings
[illegible]	W " "	553		20	–	–	23	20	1	57	24 77	Hamm
[illegible]	" 50 "	–	11	50	–	–	58		1	57	59 57	Ewing
[illegible]	[illegible]	558		50	–	–	31		1	57	32 57	Hamm
[illegible]		557		50	–	–	31			78	31 78	"
[illegible]		556		50	–	–	31			78	31 78	"
[illegible]		555		17	–	–	10	54			10 54	"
[illegible]		5		33	–	–	20	46		78	21 24	Ewings
[illegible]		6		50	–	–	31	00		78	31 78	"

[illegible] against R. W. Taylor added by Surveyor for non-payment of assessment for said year

CASS Street to EWING Street.

Nirdlinger & Oppenhiemer		1	12	60	-	-	58		75	33	75	Curves
[illegible]		2	"	50	-	-	58		75	44	75	"
Mary C. Terwin		3	"	55	-	-	63	80	1 57	65	37	"
[illegible]	East ½ of	4	"	27½	-	-	31	90	74	32	68	"
[illegible]	West " "	4	"	"	-	-	31	90	78	32	68	"
Reinhart Mercyel		5	"	50	-	-	58		1 57	59	37	"
[illegible] Do		6	"	50	-	-	58		1 57	59	57	"
[illegible]		8	9	44½	-	-	27	46	74	24	24	"
[illegible]		7	"	44½	-	-	27	46	79	24	24	"
J.M. Nuttman,		6	"	"	-	-	27	46		27	46	"
Do Do		5	"	"	-	-	27	46	1 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"
[illegible]		4	"	34½	-	-	21	26	1 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"
Do Do		3	"	10	-	-	[illegible]	60		[illegible]	60	"
[illegible]		2	"	40	-	-	24	80		24	[illegible]	"
[illegible]		1	"	44½	-	-	27	46	1 57	[illegible]	[illegible]	"

Resid mi and by mail
Ma A. Baegenyer

We Certify the above Assessment is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Wayne.

C. H. Brackenridge, C. C. Engineer
J. D. Foster
John R. Morgan,
Timothy Keegan,
A Hauer,
Wm Jaglmeyer,
Henry Stoll,
} Committee on Sewer Assessments

June 26/12

Which report was concurred in and the owners of the lots so benefitted ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Assessment.

Councilman Hauer offered the following resolution

That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare a Final Estimate in favor of C. W. Leidtag for grading and planking the Sidewalks on Griffith street from Main street to Berry street and from Wayne street to Washington street. Which resolution was adopted.

In conformity with above resolution City Civil Engineer submitted the following Final Estimate allowed Christian W. Leidtag for grading and planking the SideWalks on Griffith Street from Main street to Berry street, and from Wayne street to Washington street, made at 30¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 3c cents per lineal foot for the planking

John H. Bass to Lewis Keough		1	17	150	5 70	45	50 70	Curings
John K Evans.		12	"	150	5 70	45	50 70	"

WAYNE Street to WASHINGTON Street

Thomas W. Sloan & Co.		1	26	150	5 70	45	50 70	Curings
Isaac V. Wilson		6	27	150	5 70	45	50 70	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an Order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved, June 27th 1871,

Attest, Isaac P. Freeman, City Clerk.

C. B. Brackenridge

C. C. Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted following

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council;

Gentlemen:-

I would most respectfully call the attention of your Hon. Body to a communication which I made last year in reference to the preservation of our Nicolson pavement, wherein I urged the necessity of adopting measures for having the pavement kept sprinkled during the dry season of the year.

A few days since it became necessary to renew the cover of the cistern opposite the Cathedral on Calhoun street, upon tearing up the blocks in the pavement we found that "Dry rot" had infected more than one half of them. This, gentlemen, but confirms the statement made in the communication referred to and I am fully satisfied, that unless immediate steps are taken by your Hon. Body to provide for the thorough wetting of the wooden pavements they will have to be entirely renewed within the next two years.

Very respectfully

C. B. Brackenridge

C. C. Eng.

On motion of Mr. Lowrie the communication spoken of in above report was read.

On motion of Mr. Morgan the matter was referred to com

mittee on Streets in conjunction with City Attorney, with full authority to make contract, and also see if Property Holders along such streets where said Nicolson Pavement is laid, cannot be compelled to have said pavement sprinkled.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following

To the Hon Mayor & Board of Public Works:

Gentlemen:

The brick work on the [illegible] with necessary Sand-pits, Man Holes and Connections, on Pearl Street from Ewing Street to the Harrison Street Sewer heretofore let by contract to J. W. Langohr has been completed according to said contract, and the total amount due said Langohr for the construction of said work is

For	Sewer & Manholes	$[illegible]
	Junctions	[illegible]
	Sand-Pits	[illegible]
	Connections	[illegible]
	Total	[illegible]

Of which amount due from

Abutting Owners	benefitted	[illegible]
Property [illegible]		[illegible]

Respectfully Submitted

C. A. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer

Which Report was concurred, and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Report of Engineer.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond.

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 27th day of June 1871, by and between John B. Knudsop and William Woellering, composing the firm of Knudsop & Woellering of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first does covenant and agree to construct a double ring egg-shaped brick sewer on Pearl Street from the East line of Barr Street to Lafayette Street, being an extension of the present sewer, and of the same sizes, for the following prices to-wit:

For filling, per cubic yard. Thirty five cents

. the Sewer per lineal foot including excavation and Manholes, Three and ⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars

For connections twelve inches in diameter including excavations and filling per lineal foot, One Dollar

For connections nine inches in diameter, including excavations and filling Ninety cents per lineal foot.

For connections Six inches in diameter including excavations and filling per lineal foot Seventy-five cents

For each Sand pit, Thirty-eight Dollars. All material of every kind to be furnished by said parties of the first part. Said connections to be constructed by the said parties of the first part, at their own expense, from the owners of the property declared by the Common Council to be benefited by such improvement, and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any claims remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractors for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said parties of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the Office of the City Clerk, and made a part of these presents.

The contractors to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of September 1871. to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, than the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the parties of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract

In Witness Whereof We, the foregoing named parties, have hereunto set our hands, this day and year above written.

L. Zollars.
City Attorney
C. B. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer.

Proposal. (No. 1.)

Know all men by these presents, That we, John B. Knodop, William Moellering, Charles W. Sauder and John G. Thieme of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the Sum of One Thousand Dollars, the Payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John B. Knodop and William Moellering shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 27 day of June 1871 with the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written

Knodop & Moellering
C. W. Sauder
John G. Thieme

State of Indiana, }
Allen County, }

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, on this 27th day of June 1871 the above named Knodop Moellering, Sauder & Thieme and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond, for the purposes therein expressed.

Witness, my hand Official Seal, the day and year aforesaid

J. P. Randall, Mayor.

Which Bond, Contract & Specifications were approved.

City clerk presented the official bond of Patrick McGee Chief of Police in the Sum of One Thousand Dollars for the faithful performance of his duties.

Also the official bonds of Fred Bickness, Charles Wallmalte D Meyers D A Robison M Singleton Jesse Pallin Wm Borgman Jno G. Lehr Jno McCann Jno C. Robbins Wm Gary & D. Hill Patrolman, in the sum of $500 each, respectively signed by persons, (as security,) owning Real Estate

Which Official bonds were approved & same ordered placed on file.

City Clerk presented affidavit of Jas. H. Wagenmeyer, Treas. of City praying that a precept be issued against the North 20 feet of Lot 97 Original Plat, owned by Ruth & Almyra Wells for the sum of Twenty Dollars ($20.00) for grading and having walk brick the sidewalks on Lincoln Street bordering on said described property. Said work being done by the Street Commissioner and Chain Gang.

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Clerk submitted following report.

To the Council

I herewith respectfully submit to your Hon. Body the following amounts paid out by me during the month of May 1871. under directions of your Hon. Body.

For Salaries
" Incidentals
" Contingent
Police
" Gen'l Exp.
" Fire Dept
" Printing
" Gas Co.
" Water Co.
" Street Work
" Committee Rooms

Respectfully Submitted
Saml P. Freeman
City Clerk.

Which Report was referred to Committee on Finance, at the request of the Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Waddington the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing a petition read of N. G. Olds & Son et al.

Petition read from N. G. Olds & Son & Henry Baker, praying that alley North & South from Toledo Street to Virginia in rear of Lots Numbered 125-126 & 127, and on west side of Lot 128, Lewis addition, all the lots in this block belonging to the petitioners

Which petition was granted.

An Ordinance to grade to a width of Ten (10) feet an

space to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing Street from George street to main street was read a third time. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tower, Trennuel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (13) (Nay(none)) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to Grade & gravel Douglas Avenue from the West side of Calhoun Street West to the East side of McClellan Street was read a third time. The question being Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennuel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (14). (Nay(none)) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison Street from Dawson street to Butler street was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennuel, Taglmeyer, Underhill Wadington & Wilson (14). (Nay(none)) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Amended Ordinance to amend Section One, of Chapter Eleven of the Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, passed and adopted on the 21st day of May 1866 being an Ordinance fixing the Fire limits [illegible] amended so as to read as follows; to-wit: (Read.) was read a 3d time. The Question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Trennuel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (13) (Nay(none)) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance to grade and plank the Sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee Road from Harmer street to College street was introduced by Mr. Carier and read a first time. On motion of Mr. Carier the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Morgan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennuel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson. (14). (Nay(none)) So the rules were suspended and ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance to extend and open Douglas street through Out-Lot Number Six (6) of Harmar's Out-Lots in the North East fractional quarter of Section Two (2) Township Thirty (30) called Bloomingdale in a North-

to connect with the street running East and West
, was introduced by Councilman Stoll, and read
a first time now. On motion of Mr. Stoll the rules were suspended for
the Second Reading of Ordinance and read a second time now. Upon voting
on the question shall the Ordinance pass. Yeas, Voting, Davis, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan,
Schaff, Stoll, Shryock, Town, Trennel, Jaglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington
and Wilson 10 Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance
placed on its passage now.

Councilman Davis introduced the following:
Resolved. That the City Attorney be instructed to prepare an Ordinance to
vacate Hanna as petitioned for by M. G. Olds and Henry Baker.
Which resolution was adopted.

Messrs. Goshorn, Morgan and Hogan offered the following:
Whereas, John H. Laughter was the lowest responsible bidder for the
construction of a brick sewer in Pearl Alley, therefore
Be it Resolved. That the contract be awarded to him with instructions to
commence work immediately.
Which Resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners
of Lots Numbered 2, 9 & 8 in the North side Addition to fill up said lots
in such a manner that water will not stand on the same and become
filthy and noxious, and if said owners shall neglect to so fill up said
lots within ten days after receiving notice the Street Commissioner is hereby
instructed to cause said lots to be filled and report cost of same to
this Council.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wilson offered the following:-
Resolved. That the Board of School Trustees of the City of Fort Wayne
be authorized to make the necessary repairs as recited in the report of
the Committee on Education to the Clay street School Buildings and
also to the Jefferson street School Buildings (fences excepted,) in a good
and substantial manner at the lowest prices consistent with proper
material and good workmanship, payable in city Orders, to be drawn
on Estimate as the work progresses with such conditions as the Board
of Trustees may make to insure the faithful performance of the work.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Trennel offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to give

20 days notice to the owners of Lots Numbered 104-105-106-107-108-109-137-138-139-140 Lasselleville to bring to proper grade sidewalks fronting said lots and construct a good oak or plank sidewalk 4 feet wide, plank to be two (2) inches thick, and upon failure of said property holders to comply with said notice the Marshal of Lasselleville is hereby ordered to be constructed and what cost of same to this council, in order that same may be collected from said above described property.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bradway offered the following:

Resolved, That C. Kelly be allowed Ten Dollars for expenses incurred by him in arresting and bringing Jim Thumbs from Buchanan Michigan

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Hogan offered the following:

Resolved, That the Brothers of the Holy Cross be and are hereby permitted to tap into Clinton street sewer free of the usual tapping fee, for the use of the School building on the corner of Clinton and Jefferson streets.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following:

Whereas, There is an Ordinance now in force requiring property holders on West Wayne Street to improve the same by laying down good Brick or Stone Sidewalks within a given time. And whereas, the ~~members of~~ members of the Wayne street M. E. Church have in course of erection, a church building on their lots fronting on said street, which is under contract to be completed by the first of January next, and consequently rendering it very necessary to occupy the walks with building material until the building is completed. Therefore Resolved That the City Council hereby extend the time for said walk to be completed until the first day of May 1872.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilmen Carter, Washington & Bull offered the following:

Resolved, That the Mayor and members of the City Council hereby tender their sincere thanks to the sisters of the Hospital for the care and attendance they so nobly bestowed on some of the firemen and others who were badly hurt on the night of the fire at Ferdinand Boltz's grocery store. And be it further

Resolved, That as a slight token for said care and attendance the City Council appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty ($150) Dollars to be presented to said sisters by an Order drawn

on the Journals by the City Clerk.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Bell offered the following:
Resolved, That the owners of Lots Numbered 2 and 3 of the Bank of the State of Indiana Sub Div. of Lots 53 & 54 Original Plat be notified by the Street Commissioner to pave with flag stone the side walks on Main street, bordering on said lots within 20 days and in default thereof, said Street Commissioner is instructed to construct the same and report the cost to the Common Council for assessment against said property.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wadington offered the following:
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to examine all the Fire cisterns in the City of Fort Wayne and any that he may find in bad condition to proceed at once and put them in proper repair.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilmen Hamer, Bull and Wadington offered the following:
Resolved That the City Council invite capitalists to examine the city of Fort Wayne, and its water privileges with a view of erecting the Holly Water works. Mr. Underhill to move resolution on the table.

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Fisher Hogan, Morgan Bailey Bell Shryock Trimmel & Underhill (8) Nays. Bradway Hamer Tower Taglmeyer Wadington & Wilson (6) So the resolution was laid on the table.

Bids for the various work to be advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade and gravel Lewis street from Calhoun street to Main street, were opened and read in these words and figures to-wit:

To the Honorable Mayor and
Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne;
Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work, furnish all materials and labor, according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at & for the following prices, to-wit:-

	J. W. Langohr			John O'Connell & Co.			Neill McKay, &c.			Schieffer & Treibel		
From Calhoun Street to Clinton Street	.93	.32	$1.30	.97	.35	$1.24	1.07	.39	$1.26	.83	23	$1.27
" Clinton " " Barr "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Barr " " Lafayette "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Lafayette " " Clay "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Clay " " Monroe "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Monroe " " Hanna	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
The crossing of Streets & Alleys	93	"	"	99	39	"	"	"	"	93	23	"

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to retire to ante-room examine and compare the same and report to this Council now sitting the lowest and best bidder

Committee on Streets submitted the following:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several bids for the grading and gravelling of Lewis Street from Calhoun street to Hanna street, have examined and compared the same and find that Schieffer and Treibel are the lowest and best bidders for said work, and we would recommend that the contract therefore be awarded to said Schieffer and Treibel.

J. Harris
Timothy Horgan } Committee
Henry Stoll

Which report was concurred in and City Civil Engineer instructed to report a contract for said work at the next meeting of the Council.

Sealed Proposals directed for as advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on the West side of Calhoun Street from Col. W. I. Williams addition to the City limits were opened and read in their figures and words to-wit:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all materials and labor, according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit

	Park Duryee		S.W. Langdon		A.M. Webb & Co.		C.W. Smith & Co.	
	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot
From Lot 161 Williams Addition to Williams Street	.35¢	.30¢	33¢	33¢	.30¢	.30¢	.30¢	27½¢
Williams Street to Butler "	"	"	"	"	.30¢	"	"	"
Butler " City Limits	"	"	"	"	.30¢	"	"	"
[illegible]	"	.33¢	"	"	.30¢	62	"	"

Said bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare said bids and report to Common Council at its next regular session the lowest and best bidder for said work.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Butler Street from Calhoun Street to Hoagland Avenue were opened and read as follows:-

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:—

The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

	A.M. Webb & Co.		Patrick Doyle		C.W. Smith & Co.		S. W. L.	any other
	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per Lineal foot	For Grading per Cubic yard.	For Planking per Lineal foot
From [illegible] to Harrison Street	.30¢	.29¢	25¢	30¢	27¢	27½¢	33¢	35¢
[illegible] to Butler "	.30	.30	25	30¢	27	"	"	
[illegible]	32	31	25	30¢	[illegible]	"	"	
[illegible]	30	62	25	33¢	30			

Which bids were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare same and report to the Common Council at its next regular session the lowest and best bidder.

On motion of Mr. Wadington City Clerk was instructed to issue the certificates of membership for Fire Department Lithographed

On motion the following bills were allowed.

B. L. F. Williard	St Exp.	54.00	P. Burns	St. Exp.	24.00
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]

J. Vieira [illegible] Ward [illegible]

J. Tierney [illegible]

E. Kent [illegible]

H. [illegible] [illegible]

J. Lynch [illegible]

H. [illegible] [illegible]

J. Bonfoi [illegible]

C. Doll [illegible]

J. Regan [illegible]

L. Kent [illegible]

J. Ryan [illegible]

W. [illegible] [illegible]

H. W. Kendrew [illegible]

J. Kelly [illegible]

City [illegible]

No further business Council adjourned [illegible]

Read, approved and signed in
Open Council this 11th day of July 1871

Attest,
Sam'l Freeman
City Clerk

C. D. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair, and Councilmen Bradbury, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schopf, Stall, Tower, Tagtmeyer Wadington & Wilson (13) Absent, Carier, Evans, Vogel, Tremmel & Underhill (5)

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petition read from Jno. Fritzsche, representing that by the contemplated grade on Griffith Street, the trees in front of his lot on said street would necessarily be destroyed. He therefore asked that the grade might be so changed that said shade trees can be saved.

Which petition was referred to C. E. Engineer

Petition read from T. J. Mein, et al, praying Council to cause Griffith Street Sewer to be opened and cleaned.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition received from Henry Richards representing that he was injured at the recent explosion & by cause which injuries he has been unable to perform any labor since, petitioner therefore prays that same allowance be made him as was other persons injured at that time.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Fire Dept.

Petition read from H. B. Reed, et-al praying Council to cause the houses throughout the city to be renumbered.

Which petition was referred to Committee on streets.

Petition received from C Orff & Co. praying for the erection of lamp posts corner Calhoun and dock; corner Clinton street and dock and midway between Calhoun and Clinton streets.

Which petition was referred to Comm. on Gas.

Remonstrance received from P. Hoagland and 38 others, property holders on Ewing Street, remonstrating against the construction of brick sidewalks on Ewing street.

Mr. Morgan moved to lay the remonstrance on the table, Mr. Tagtmeyer moved to amend by granting the prayer of the

remonstrance. Mr. Morgan to amend by laying the amendment on the table. Which amendment to amended motion prevailed. Mr. Morgan then moved that petition lay on the table. Which motion also prevailed.

Chairman Committee on Fire Department submitted the following proposition:

To. Washington:-

Sir:- We propose to build a round cistern for the city in Irishtown, fourteen (14) feet wide; sixteen feet with arch, eight inches thick; walls of hard burnt brick, laid in Louisville cement; plastering with Louisville cement with iron ring and cover and also do digging for the sum of Three Hundred and Thirty-five (335) Dollars.

Which report was referred to Committee on Fire Dep't.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the several proposals for grading and planking the sidewalks on the East side of Calhoun street from Lot No. 1 Williams Addition to the "city limits" have examined the same and find that C.W. Lintlag is the lowest bidder and we recommend that the Contract for said work be awarded to said Lintlag.

Respectfully
P. Morgan } Committee
Henry Stoll }

Which report was concurred in and C. C. C. instructed to draw contract.

Committee on Streets submitted following
To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Streets would respectfully report that they have contracted with Chas Pape for sprinkling the pavements bordering on the City buildings. Said Pape agreeing for the sum of $5.00 per week to sprinkle opposite the Bank street Market House the City Calaboose and the Clinton street Engine House.

Respectfully
P. Morgan. } Committee
H. Stoll. }

Which report was concurred in and City Attorney instructed to draw up a contract with said Pape.

Committee on Streets submitted following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the petition of John Taylor et. al., for grading and planking the Sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee Road, from Hanner street to College street report favorable.

Respectfully
T. Hogan
Henry Stoll

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the petition of C. D. Bond, et. al., asking for the extension of Creighton streets from Miner street to Broadway, would report that the City has jurisdiction over only a part of the land through which said extension would pass, and we recommend that no further action be taken in the matter until the County Commissioners have opened the portion outside of the City limits.

Respectfully
T. Hogan } Committee
Henry Stoll }

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of T. Martin et. al., asking for the opening of a street through the North side of O. L. No. 24 Harmers Out-Lots, in Sec. 12, South of Railroad, would recommend that the prayer of said petitioners be granted, and the City Attorney be instructed to prepare an Ordinance for the opening of said street.

Respectfully,
T. Hogan, } committee
H. Stoll. }

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:-
Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on Streets to whom was refered the petition of C. A. Reber asking for extension of time for constructing sidewalks opposite his lot on Wayne street, would recommend that the petition be granted and he be relieved from making said improvement until the first day of September 1871.

Respectfully
T. Hogan.
Henry Stoll.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:-
Gentlemen:-

Your committee on Streets, to whom was refered the several proposals for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street from Calhoun street to Hoagland Avenue, have examined the same, and find C. W. Lindlag the lowest bidder and would recommend that the Contract for said work be awarded to said Lindlag.

Respectfully
T. Hogan, } Committee
Henry Stoll. }

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:
To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-
Gentlemen:-

Your Committee on streets, to whom was refered the petition of August Spigel, et al., praying for the opening of an alley on the North side of Edsall's addition would report that we do not deem it advisable for the City to take any steps in the matter, further than granting permission for the property owners to open an alley at said point, provided it be done at their own expense.

Respectfully
T. Hogan } Committee
Henry Stoll }

Which report was concurred in.

Special Committee submitted the following:-

To the Mayor and Common Council:

We, your Committee appointed to make negotiations with the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway Co., with a view to the more permanent establishment of their Machine and Repair Shops in this city, submit the following report.

That prior to the meeting of the Council June 13th, at which time the undersigned were appointed a committee thinking it advisable to get some positive information as to the requirements of the Railway Co. before handing in a petition asking that some definite step by taken by the City. One of our citizens who was subsequently placed on your committee addressed a letter to J. H. Drummond Esq Asst. Prest. of said company asking the desired information which brought the following reply.

Toledo Ohio June 13. 1871

Mr, ~~~~~

Ft Wayne Ind

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter of yesterday I understand that our Company in consideration of the gift of the land indicated will permanently locate their shops in your City and in that behalf will execute an agreement with penalty of forfeiture in the event of their removal.

Signed J. H. Drummond
Asst. Prest.
T. W. & W. Ry. Co.

The land referred to is a piece laying due west of Fairfield Avenue, between the P. W. & W. and the S. F. W. & C. Ry. containing between 10 & 11 acres owned by C. D. Bond, S. B. Bond, Wm. Fleming, and the Heirs of Mrs E. Ewing, deceased. Your committee since their appointment have conferred with the said owners, and their representatives and received verbal proposition for sale of tract indicated at $30000, in cash or bonds bearing such rate of interest as would make them valuable on the market at par.

Owing to absence of Mr. Drummond Asst. Prest. through whom the most of the negotiations relative to shops had been made, we were unable to make a report at your

last meeting, we however prior to that time, met Mr Boody President of the Road who intimated, that the Company would require a further donation of $25000, in City Bonds, in addition to the tract of land mentioned, which proposition your committee had no power to act upon, even if they had been personally so inclined, which proposition subsequently Mr Boody has offered as an indispensable condition to location, that the City give the land designated, and $15.000 in Bonds of said City which we now submit to your honorable body for consideration.

J. H. Bass Chairman Com. C. Cl'k.
W. B. Fisher " " Finance

Which report was received and placed on file.

The following report was read from the School Trustees.

To the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

The undersigned Trustees of the City Schools would respectfully report that agreeable to your instructions they applied to several responsible builders for bids to repair the Clay street School building and the Jefferson street School building and have received bids from three parties only.

One party offered to do the work on the Clay street building for $1414. and the Jefferson street Building for $1533; the second bid was $1725 and $2188 respectively; the 3d bid for the Jefferson St. building alone, $2177. The first bid being the lowest and best bid we awarded the contract to Messrs Cochrane, Humphrey & Co. the first party named. We have also contracted with James McKhane Hoo. of Greenville, Ohio, for the desks required for the Clay Street Building for the sum of Two Hundred and Forty Dollars.

We therefore ask that your Honorable Body authorize the City Clerk to issue warrants on the City Treasurer for the amounts above named to the School Board, as the work progresse

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. P. Morgan
P. Hoagland } Trustees.
J. L. Irwin

Which report was read and placed on file. and the following resolution offered by Mr. Wilson.

Resolved, That the action of the Board of Trustees, in the matter of repairing the Clay street and Jefferson street School buildings (as set forth in their report, herewith presented) be concurred in. Also

Resolved, That the City Clerk be authorized to issue City Orders

for the payment of said repairs on Estimates certified by said Board of School Trustees in accordance with their contract for repairs.

Which resolution was adopted.

The City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of Schafer & Griebel for grading and graveling Lewis street from Calhoun street to Wanna street, which was in these words and figures to-wit:-

CONTRACT.

This Agreement,

Made and entered into this Twenty-ninth day of June 1871, by, and between Christian Schiefer and Ludwig Griebel of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and gravel Lewis street from Calhoun to Wanna street, at and for the following prices to-wit:

From Calhoun street to Clinton street for the grading, per cubic yard, 23 cents and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

From Clinton street to Barr street, for the grading per cubic yard 23 cents, and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

From Barr street to Lafayette street for the grading per cubic yard, 23 cents, and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

From Lafayette street to Clay street, for the grading, per cubic yard 23 cents, and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

From Clay street to Monroe street, for the grading per cubic yard 23 cents, and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

From Monroe street to Wanna street, for the grading per cubic yard 23 cents and for the graveling per lineal foot 83 cents.

For the crossings of streets and alleys for the grading per cubic yard 25 cents, and for the graveling per lineal foot 93 cents.

For the culverts, per 1000 feet B. M. $27.00

Said amounts to be collected by the said parties of the first part at their own expense, from the owners of the property bordering on said street between said points, and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys and for the grading in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractors for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said parties of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk, and made

a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth requried to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the City Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of September 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, than the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re letting the same, and the said parties of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the forgoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

C. L. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer.

Christian Schafer (Seal)
Ludwig Greibel (Seal)

Proposal.
(Here Insert)

BOND.

Know all men by these Presents, That we, Christian Schafer Ludwig Greibel, Frederick Kaune and George Meyer, of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, the Payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Christian Schafer and Ludwig Greibel, shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 29th day of June, 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

50 cent stamp.

Christian Schaffer
Ludwig Greibel,
F. Kaune,
George Mayer.

SEAL

State of Indiana
Allen County.

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, on this 29th day of June 1871, the above named Chris-

tain Schafer Ludwig Gribel, Frederick Kamm and George Mayer and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond, for the purposes therein expressed,

Witness, my hand and official Seal the day and year aforesaid

J. B. Randall

Mayor.

Which Contract and Bond were approved.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Trial Estimate allowed John W. Langohr, for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on Wayne Street from Calhoun street to Harrison street, made at 59 cents per lineal foot for the curbing and 70 cents per lineal foot for the grading and paving.

OWNERS NAME.	DESCRIPTION.	NUMBER OF Lot	Block	Feet.	Assessment for Curbing	Grading & Paving	TOTAL	ADDITION
Richard Sulley	The S. 20 feet	131		60	35 40	42 00	77 40	Wabash Plat
Christian Morrell		132		60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
A. E. Read		133		60	35 40	36 40	71 80	"
Francis L. Purse		2190		60	— —	42 00	42 00	Hamms
Do Do.		2189		60	— —	42 00	42 00	"
Mary Fleming	The S. 60 feet of	491		60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Andrew Mayer		482		60	35 40		35 40	"
Do Do	The W. 1/2 of	483		30	17 70		17 70	"
William Schultz	" E " "	"		30	17 70		17 70	"
Do Do	" W. 20 feet of	484		2	1 18		1 18	"
Mary M. Rekers	" S 58 " "	"		58	34 22		34 22	"
Louis Wolke		1		90	53 10		53 10	Sub div of 485 & 486
Do Do		6		27	11 80		11 80	485 & 486 Hamms
Clem A. Rekers		11		20	11 80		11 80	Do
David [illegible]		9		20	11 80		11 80	Do
		10		20	11 80		11 80	Do

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved July 11 1871,

C. S. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer

Attest Saml. Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was allowed and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate,

Councilman Dessauer offered the following which was adopted.

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed forth-

with to prepare Estimates in favor of John W. Langohr for grading, fay ing and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Calhoun Street to Harrison street, and from Harrison street to Web ster street.

In conformity with above resolution C.C. Engineer submitted following Final Estimate, allowed John W. Langohr, for grading, fay ing and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street, from Harrison Street to Webster street, made at 5 cents per lineal foot for the curbing and 70 cents per lineal foot the grading and faying.

Owner's Name.	Description	Number Lot / Rod	Assessment for Curbing	Assessment for Grading & Paving	Total	Remarks
Herman Nierman	South 100 feet of	492 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	Hamra.
Do Do	" " " "	493 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Do Do	East 26 feet of S. 100 ft of	494 26	15 34	18 20	33 54	"
Henry Heitkwinkle	W 34 " " "	" 34	20 06	23 80	43 86	"
Theresa Schelle	E 30 " "	495 30	17 80	21 00	38 80	"
John Rollape	W " " " "	" 30	17 80	21 00	38 80	"
Ulrich Rehmer,		496 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Peter Kiser		497 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
William Fleming		476 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Do Do		477 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Herman Heuer		478 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
William H Coombs,		479 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
Anton Gocke,		480 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"
S. Redelshiemer, A. Oppenhiemer, A Wolf,	Trustees of Jewish Church,	481 60	35 40	42 00	77 40	"

I, Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne Approved, July 14th 1871. C. D. Brackenridge

Attest, Saml. Freeman, City Clerk. City Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Dessauer offered the following:-

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare Esti mates in favor of C.N. Lindley for grading and planking the sidewalks on Griffith street from Berry street to Wayne street, and from Washing ton street to Jefferson street. Which resolution was adopted.

In conformity with above resolution City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate allowed C.N. Lindley for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Griffith street from Wash-

ington Street to Jefferson Street, and from Berry Street to Wayne Street. made at 29 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 30 cents per lineal foot for the planking.

Owners Name	Description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	ASSESSMENT FOR Grading	Planking	Total	Addition
[illegible] Fuller		1	31	150	6 93	45 00	51 93	Ewings
Louisa Sturgis		7	30	150	6 93	45 00	51 93	"
	BERRY Street to WAYNE Street.							"
Henry P. Ayres		12	23	150	7 20	45 00	52 20	"
Lindley M. Ninde		7	22	150	7 20	45 00	52 20	"
John Hough.		1	23	150	7 20	45 00	52 20	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved July 11th 1871 C. S. Brackenridge,
Attest, Saml. Freeman City Clerk. Civil Engineer,

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Treasurer's Report No. 2, to June 30th 1871, read by Clerk, and on motion referred to Committee on Finance.

The following Report of Street Commissioner on cost of paving Sidewalks on Main Street opposite lots 74 & 75 Old Plat, was received.

Thomas Varney	Stone Flagging	Lot 74, No of feet 150, frontage ft. 38/	157.50 Ct.
do do	" "	" 75 " " " " " " "	157.50
do do	Steps		7.00
City of Fort-Wayne	Alley crossing	" " " 47/3	16.54

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

I have constructed the above work as ordered by you for Stone flagging sidewalk in front of the above described property, the cost of which is set opposite the several descriptions

B. L. P. Williard
Street Commissioner

I certify said sidewalks have been constructed according to grade.

C. S. Brackenridge
C. C. Engineer

Which report was concurred in.

Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, submitted the following:-

To his Honor, the Mayor and Common Council:-

Gentlemen:-

I would hereby respectfully inform you that I have appointed Frank Vogel as First Assistant Chief and John Kentz as second Chief of the Fire Department and hope you will confirm the said appointments.

Thomas Manyx
Chief Engineer.

Which report was concurred in and appointments confirm by the Common Council.

An Ordinance (H.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee Road from Hanna street to College street, was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tower, Tagtmeyer Wadington & Wilson (13) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (No. D.) to extend and open Douglas street through Out-Number 6 in Hannas Out-lots in the North East-fractional quarter of Section Two, Township 30, called Bloomingdale in a Northwesterly direction, so as to connect with the street running East- and West- through Clarks Addition was read a 3d time. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tower, Tagtmeyer, Wadington and Wilson (13) Nays, (none,) So the Ordinance, was passed.

An Ordinance (No. D.) to vacate the alley running North and South between Lots 128, 125-126 & 127, from Virginia street to Toledo street in Lewis Addition to the city of Fort-Wayne, was introduced and read a first. Mr Bradway moved for the suspension of the rules, in order that the Ordinance might be read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tower, Tagtmeyer, Wadington & Wilson (13) Nays none. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Bradway introduced an Ordinance (N. S.) to grade to a width of twelve (12) feet and pave with brick to a width of six (6) feet the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson street from Division street to Garden street; also, to set plank curbing on both sides of said street between said points. Mr. Bradway moved for the suspension of the rules in order to have the Ordinance read a 2d time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Tower, Tagtmeyer, Wadington & Wilson (13) Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Bradway, introduced an Ordinance (N. S.) to change the name of Hamilton street in Hanna's Addition which was read a first time. Mr. Bradway moved for the suspension of the rules, to have the Ordinance read a 2d time now. — Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Tower, Tagtmeyer, Wadington & Wilson (13) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a 2d time.

Councilman Bradway offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Department be authorized to contract for a Fire Cistern to be built on the corner of Madison and Francis streets, to be same size, and for the same price as the one in the Sixth (6th) Ward.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the Finance Committee be instructed to contract with the T. W. & W. R. R. Co., for the permanent location of said Company's shops in this city in accordance with the terms heretofore reported by the Special Committee of Investigation

On motion of Mr. Bradway the above resolution was laid on the table, with only two, (Morgan & Schoff) dissenting voices.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-
Resolved, That the muzzling of all dogs as required by Sections 5 & 6 Chapter 7 Special Law for city of Ft. Wayne, be complied with by persons owning or harboring dogs inside the city limits

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Fisher offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby instructed to collect from Thomas Burney, the owner of Lots Numbered Seventy-four (74) and Seventy-five (75) Original Plat to city of Fort Wayne, the Sum of Three Hundred and Twenty-two (322) Dollars being the amount in full assessed against said described property for putting down stone flagging & step in front of said lots.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade to a width of ten feet, and pave with brick to a width of five feet, the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from George street to Main street were opened and read as follows. to-wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:-

Gentlemen:- The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

	Neil McKay		J.W. Langohr		John Bennett	
	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Paving per Lineal Foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Paving per Lineal Foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Paving per Lineal Foot
From George St. to Lewis street	34¢	47¢	28	50	33	57
" Lewis " " Jefferson "	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Jefferson " " Washington "	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Washington " " Wayne "	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Wayne " " Berry "	"	"	"	"	"	"
" Berry " " Main "	"	"	"	"	"	

Which bids were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare said bids and report at this meeting of this Council, the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by C. C. Engineer to grade and gravel Calhoun street from the T. W. & W. R. W. to the South limits of the city were opened and read as follows:

To the Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen

The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and material and do the above work according to the specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to-wit:-

			J.W. Langohr			Neil McKay			C.W. Lindlay & Co		
			For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per linealfoot	For Culvert per cubic yard	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per linealfoot	For Culvert per cubic yard	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per linealfoot	For Culvert per cubic yard
From T.W.I.W.R.R.	to	Highland	75¢	33¢	30¢	90¢	34¢	27¢	83¢	31¢	31¢
" Highland	"	Dawson	76	"	"						
" Dawson	"	Williams	79	"	"						
" [illegible]	"	Butler	79	"	"		29¢ Butler			.29¢	
" Butler	"	City limits	90								

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committe on Streets with instructions to examine and compare same, and report at next council meeting the lowest and best bidder for said work.

Sealed Proposals, heretofor advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Butler street, were opened and read as follows:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

	PATRICK DOYLE.		JOHN W. LANGOHR.		C.W. LINDLAY & Co.	
	For Grading per Cubic Yard	For Planking per linealfoot	For Grading per Cubic Yard.	For Planking per linealfoot	For Grading per Cubic yard	For Planking per linealfoot
From Dawson Street to Williams Street	.28¢	.28¢	.30¢	.32¢	29½¢	.29½¢
" Williams " " Buller "	"	"	"	"	"	"

On motion of Mr. Bradway, the contract for said work was awarded to Patrick Doyle, as he was the lowest bidder, and City Attorney instructed to draw up contract with Mr. Doyle and report same at next Council night.

Sealed Proposals heretore advertised for by City Civil Engineer to grade and gravel Douglas Avenue, from Calhoun street to McClellan street, were opened and read as follows: to wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned here by proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

	C.W. LINDLAG				Scheffert Grable				Jno. W. Langohr				N. M. Kay			
	For grading Lineal Foot	For curbing Cubic Yard	Culvert per 1000 ft. B.M.	Tiling Cutting per Square Yard	For grading Lineal Foot	For curbing Cubic Yard	Culvert per 1000 ft. B.M.	Tiling per Square Yard	For grading Lineal Foot	For curbing Cubic Yard	Culverts per 1000 ft. B.M.	Tiling per Square Yard	Grading per Lineal Foot	Curbing per Cubic Yard	Culverts per 1000 ft. B.M.	Paving per Square Yard
	cts	cts	$	cts	cts	cts	$	cts	cts	cts	$	cts	cts	cts	$	cts
From Calhoun Street To Harrison Street	.69	.33	29	33	.90	.28	.27		.59	.24	30.		90	36	24	
" Harrison " " Webster "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		"	"	"		87	35	"	
" Webster " " McClellan "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		"	"	"		86	34	"	
For crossings of Streets & Alleys.	.95	.36	"	"	"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"	"

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare said bids, and report to this Council at its next meeting the lowest and best bidder

In conformity with instructions Committee on Streets submitted the following report

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:— Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several proposals for grading and paving the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from George street to Main street have examined the same and find Neil McKay is the lowest and best bidder. We would therefore recommend that the contract for said work be awarded to said McKay

Wm. Hogan, } Common Streets.
Henry Stoll, }

Which report was concurred in and City Attorney instructed to draw up contract with said McKay and report same at the next meeting of the Council.

Mr. Wadington moved the regular order of business be suspended for the purpose of having following resolution read, which motion prevailed.

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Department be and are hereby authorized to contract with Knudsop and Company for the construction of the Fire Cistern named in their bid.

(Signed) T. Hogan.

Which resolution was adopted.

On motion, the following bills were allowed.

B. L. P. Williard,	Street Exp.	54.-	Jacob Gies	Street Exp.	9.00
H. C. Taylor,	"	20.-	George Mayer	"	19.00
Patrick Burns,	"	21.	Nelson Thompson	"	14.00
John Stiers,	"	21.	E. Renot	"	12.00
Jno. P. Waters,	"	20.	Henry Stiers	"	20.00

John Lynch,	Streets	20 00	Dunn & Co.	(C.C.E.)	Printing.	15.	
H. Schoppmann	"	21 00	"	(Treas.)	"	19	50
J. Bonfoi,	"	21 00	"	(Clerk)	"	13	20
C. Cull,	"	20. 00	Republican,	(")	"	20.	
J. Hogan,	"	15. 00	Journal,	(")	"	22.	
[illegible]	"	4.00	Gazette	(")	"	45.	
J. Ryan,	"	12. 00	H. Schone		Election	5.	
Wm. Reed,	"	5.00	C. Kelly		Police	15.	75
Whitehead,	"	2.00	H. Flieger		Fire Dept-	24.	
H. Brown,	"	4.00	W. Waldo		"	203.	50
D. McKendry	"	27 00	A. Fielings	(Clerk Bar.)	General Exp.	19.	45
M Kelly	"	12. 50	J. Droegemeyer,	Treas	"	10	00
C. Bularger	Scavenger	7 00	Sutermeister & Co.			338	54
[illegible] Meyerstein	Streets	29 7 52					

No further business Council adjourned to Council in course.

Read, Approved and signed in open Council this 25th day of July 1871.

Attest,

Sam'l P. Freeman,
City Clerk.

A. P. Ramsdell
Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session
July 25th A.D. 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair, and a full board except Mr. Dessauer.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petition recd from Snydam & Co. praying for permission to put down flat-form scales on West side of Ewing Street first lot north of canal directly in front of old Shingle Factory

On motion permission was granted to erect said scales under the direction of the C. C. Engineer and Street Commissioner.

Petition recd from L. Emily et al, representing that by a late survey the previous and former surveys in Chipman's addition are greatly changed. Petitioners therefore pray that the C. C. Engineer be requested to survey and record the same, and that the late survey may be revoked.

Which petition was refered to Committee on Streets.

Petition recd from D. Friedburger, et al, stating that they had formed a Hose Company, and praying that a cart, hose and torches be provided for them, and that they be recognized as a part of the Fire Department.

Which petition was refered to Com. on Fire Department

Petition recd James Cairns and others praying for a culvert at the intersection of Wood and Pearl streets and for the deepening which runs parallell with the P. F. W. & C. R. R.

Which petition was refered to Com. on Streets.

Petition recd from D. Friedburger and others praying for the erection of Gaslight post fronting the Hebrew Church property.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Gas.

Petition recd from C. G. Rapp. owner of the E. 1/2 of Lot No. 548 Hamm's Add. praying for permission to drain into the Pearl Street Sewer, and protection for any further difficulty in the future on account of same.

Which petition was refered to Com. on Sewers.

Petition recd from Jno. H. Wanger, and four others praying that the sidewalks on both sides of Washington street,

between N Francis & Warren streets. be graded and planked and that an Ordinance be passed to that effect.

Which petition was refered to Committee on streets and if deemed practical to draw ordinance for the same.

The following report was recd from the Com. on streets:-

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Mr. B. Reed and others praying for the re-numbering of houses in the City would report in favor of said petition, but would ask further time in order to enable them to ascertain the cost of said work and also how and by whom it shall be paid.

A. H. Carier Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Also, the following report:

To the Mayor and Common Council:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the bids for the grading and graveling of Douglas Avenue, from Calhoun street to McClellan street beg to report that they have with the City Engineer, carefully examined said bids and found John W. Langohr to be the lowest bidder, and therefore recommend that the contract be awarded to said John W. Langohr.

A. H. Carier,
Henry Stoll,
Wm. Hogan,
} Committee

Which report was concurred in and C. E. Engineer instructed to draw up contract with the said Langohr.

Also the following report from said Committee:-

To the Hon. Mayor, and Common Council,

Your Committee on streets to whom was referred the different bids for the grading and graveling of Calhoun street from the T. W. & W R.W., to the South line of the City, beg to report that they have in conjunction with the C. E. Engineer, carefully examined said bids and found William C. Lindley was the lowest bidder: Your committee would therefore recommend that the contract be awarded to the said William C. Lindley.

A. H. Carier,
Henry Stoll,
Wm Hogan,
} Committee.

Which report was concurred in and C. E. Engineer instructed to draw

up a contract with the said C. W. Lindley.

Committee on Sewers submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the petition of Emerick, et al, praying for the repairing of the out-let of the Griffith street sewer, would recommend that the Street Commissioner be instructed to make said repair and construct a covered wooden culvert along the present ditch on the North side of Pearl street from the termination of said sewer to the Furniture Factory of Messrs Emerick and Burkholder.

D. D. Goshorn,
J. B. Morgan,
Tim Hogan,
} Committee.

Which report was concurred in, and Clerk instructed to notify the Street Commissioner.

Committee on Fire Dept submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the petitions of Henry Richards praying for relief on account of being burnt at the explosion of Boltz's grocery would report against granting any further aid to said Richards.

We would also ask for the following extra allowances to those disabled at the Fire.

J. C[illegible]	[illegible]
R. Shaw	35.00
John Korn	25.00
Joseph Aubrey	
H. Michael	[illegible]
H. S. Crouse	[illegible]
W. Lichtsinn	[illegible]
Thomas McAnniy	[illegible]

W. Wadington
W. B. Fisher
} Committee on Fire Department.

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to issue to the above named persons the respective amounts in City orders.

On motion, the regular order of business was suspended, for the purpose of hearing the following petition read.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Ind.
}

The Fort Wayne Muncie and Cincinnati

Rail Road Company hereby propose to permanently locate the Machine Shops for construction and repairs at some point in the City of Fort-Wayne, between the St. Marys River and the canal feeder; provided the city will donate to said company the sum of of Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000). The donation to be upon the express condition that if said machine shops are ever removed from the city of Fort Wayne, said sum of $15,000 is to be refunded to said city, and upon the further condition that said shops are to be located and put into operation this season.

W. W. Worthington, Supt.
Ft. Wayne, Muncie & Cincinnati R.R.

Which petition was on motion, referred to a select committee of three, to be appointed by his Honor. The committee selected were Messrs Bull, Taglmeyer and Wilson.

City Attorney presented the following:-

Gentlemen of the Common Council:-

Sometime ago a resolution was passed by the Council to annex the land of Mrs. Kleiber to the city and to extend and open Force street through the same. That resolution was passed after I had given the opinion that the land could not be taken into the city by resolution as it had not been platted and recorded. It was done however, on the promise of Mrs. Kleiber to one of the Councilmen that she would raise no objection, but consent for the land to be brought in by a resolution of the Common Council; since then when the Street-Commissioner proceeded to open Force street, through her land, she objects and has brought an injunction suit and refuses to let the street to be opened unless the City will pay her more than all of her land is worth. I am of the opinion, indeed, have no doubt but that she will be able to make good her case.

I therefore submit a petition to the Board of Commissioners of the County to take said land into the city. There is a resolution attached to said petition which you should pass at once, as there is not more than enough time to make the proper publication.

Respectfully

A. Zollars,
City Attorney.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that the following petition be presented to the Board of Commissioners of Allen County in the State of Indiana at the next regular sitting of the same on the first Monday of September 1871, and that the notice required by law be duly given of such presentation.

Signed, W. Taglmeyer

To the Hon. Board of Commissioners
of Allen County Indiana.

The Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, represents that Barbary Kleiber Josephine Brashford Mary Kleiber, Sabastian Kleiber and Barbary Kleiber, Jr., are the owners of the following lands to wit:-

Two acres of land off of the South side of the twenty acre tract of land conveyed to John M. Herndon, by Samuel Hanna and wife, by deed, dated November 14th 1864, and recorded in Deed Record U. Page 450, in the East half of the North west quarter of Section Twelve (12) in Township Thirty (30) North of Range Twelve (12) East, which two acres are bounded as follows, to-wit:- Commencing at the South West corner of said Twenty acre tract of land and running thence North 84 3/4 degrees east, 1091 feet to a stake; thence North 5 1/3 degrees west, 79 85/100 feet to a stake; thence south 84 3/4 degrees, 1091 feet to a stake; thence south 5 1/3 degrees east, to place of beginning, all in Allen County, State of Indiana. This land is now surrounded by the corporate limits of the city of Fort-Wayne, but has never been laid off and platted, and hence has never been brought into the city, so as to extend the jurisdiction of the city over the same.

Your petitioners therefore pray your Hon. Body to take such steps as are necessary to bring said land into the city of Fort-Wayne, and make it subject to the jurisdiction of said city, as are required under the 86th Section of an act to repeal all general laws now in force for the incorporation of cities and to provide for the incorporation of cities, prescribing their powers and rights and the manner which they shall exercise the same and to regulate such other matters as properly pertain thereto, approved, March 14th 1867.

The reasons for said annexation of said lands are:-
1st Said lands are now surrounded by the corporation limits of the City and are and have been for years receiving the benefits of the improvements of the city, and yet the city cannot tax it or make any improvements, and assess said land for the benefits received, which the city in right should have power to do.
2d Sometime ago, the city of Fort-Wayne, through the Common Council passed an Ordinance to open and extend Force street in said city through said land is not within the city corporation or subject to the jurisdiction of the said City, and said street cannot be opened unless it can be opened through said land.

Which report was read and placed on file, the resolution adopted and Clerk instructed to give the necessary notice by publication

C. C. Engineer presented the following Contract and Bond of Patrick Doyle for Grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Butler street.

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 24th day of July, 1871, by and between Patrick Doyle, of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and and agree to Grade and Plank the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Butler street for the following prices:-

For grading per cubic yard from Dawson street to Williams street, Twenty-eight cents; from Williams street to Butler street twenty eight cents;

For planking per lineal foot twenty eight cents, from Dawson street to Williams street; from Williams street to Butler street

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense from the owners of the property adjoining and abutting on said side walks, and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of September 1871, to the satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the same party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne,

Allen Zollars,
City Attorney,
C. L. Brackenridge,
C. C. Engineer

Patrick Doyle, (Seal)

PROPOSAL.

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street, from Dawson street to Butler street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:
Gentlemen:

The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:—

	Top Grade		Low Grade	
From Dawson street to Williams street		28¢		26¢
" Williams " " Butler "		28¢		28¢

Patrick Doyle, Contractor.

Fort Wayne, July 11th 1871

To the Mayor and Common Council:
Gentlemen:—

If you award to Patrick Doyle, the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to specifications.

M. Codey
John Beil

SPECIFICATIONS.

For grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Butler street.

GRADING.

The above Sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded, to a width of 10 feet, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1.

The material excavated, if of a suitable nature will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractor, at his own expense, to some point, not to exceed the distance of half

a mile from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand, free from perishable substances, and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion.- The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the cubic yard of Excavation; provided, that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation.

PLANKING.

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Oak, free from sap, or other defects. The plank to be 2 inches thick six inches wide, and 4 feet long, and spiked to the stringers with 4 inch Spikes, 4 spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches Square, and not less than 12 feet long, and laid 3 feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer and subject to the provisions of Section One, Chapter Eight, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort-Wayne, which is hereby made a part of these specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the Public from injury to persons or property, by reason of the construction of said work, and he shall assume and be liable for such injury, if occasioned, and defend, at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages, which may be brought against him, or the City of Fort-Wayne, arising under these Specifications

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer, on or before the 1st day of September 1871.

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we Patrick Doyle & M Cody of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, the Payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Patrick Doyle, shall faithfully comply with the forgoing contract, made and entered into this 25th day of July 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, and fulfill the conditions and Stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof,

in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Patrick Doyle (Seal)

(Five cent stamp.) M. Cody. (Seal)

Which contract Bond & Specification were approved and same ordered placed on file.

C. C. Engineer submitted the following

CONTRACT.

This Agreement

Made and entered into this 25th day of July 1871, by and between Christian W. Lindlay of the County of Allen State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street, from Calhoun street to Hoagland Avenue, at and for the following prices to-wit:- From Calhoun street to Harrison street; for grading per cubic yard, Twenty-seven (27) cents and for planking per lineal foot, Twenty-seven and 1/2 (27 1/2) cents.

From Harrison street to Webster street for grading per cubic yard Twenty-seven cents and for planking per lineal foot Twenty seven 1/2 cents

From Webster street to Hoag Land Avenue, for grading per cubic Yard, Twenty seven cents, and for planking per lineal foot- Twenty seven 1/2 (27 1/2) cents.

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense, from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contract for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be

finished on or before the fifteenth day of September, 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract, and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure, to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the forgoing named parties hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
C. B. Brackenridge,
City Civil Engineer

C. W. Lindlag (Seal)

PROPOSAL.

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street, from Calhoun Street to Hoagland Avenue.

To the Mayor and
Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Gentlemen:-

The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

	For Grading per Cubic Yard		For Planking per Lineal foot	
	℔	cts	℔	cts
From Calhoun street to Harrison street	2	27	—	27½
" Harrison " " Webster "	—	27	—	27½
" Webster " " Hoagland Av.	—	27	—	27½
For Shed and alley crossings	—	30	—	27½

C. W. Lindlag, Contractor.

Fort Wayne June 27th 1871

To the Mayor and Common Council:
Gentlemen:

If you award to C. W. Lindlag the above contract any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to the specifications

Wm. T. Pratt
Ludwig Griebell

J. Kamm.

SPECIFICATIONS.

For Grading and Planking, the sidewalks on both sides of Butler street, from Calhoun street to Hoagland Avenue.

GRADING.

The above sidewalks will be smoothly graded, to a width of 10 feet, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1.

The material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractor, at his own expense, to some point, not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand, free from perishable substances, and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the cubic yard of Excavation; provided, that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation.

PLANKING.

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Oak or Pine, free from sap, or other defects. The plank to be 2 inches thick, six inches wide, and 4 feet long, and spiked to the stringers with four inch spikes, 4 spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long, and be laid 3 feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section One, Chapter Eight, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, which is hereby made a part of these Specifications

The contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property, by reason of the construction of said work, and he shall assume and be liable for such injury, if occasioned, and defend, at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages, which may be brought against him or the City of Fort Wayne, arising under these Specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of

the City Civil Engineer, on or before the 1st day of September, A.D. 1871.

BOND.

Know all Men by these presents;

That we, Christian W. Lindlag Ludwig Griebel and Frederick Kamm, of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars, the payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Christian W. Lindlag shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 25th day of July 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written

Ch'n. Lindlag, (Seal)
Ludwig Griebel, (Seal)

Which Contract, Bond and Specifications were approved and ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following

CONTRACT

This Agreement,

Made and entered into this 25th day of July 1871, by and between Christian W. Lindlag of the County of Allen, State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne of the second part:

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on the west side of Calhoun street from Lot One (1) Williams Addition to the city of Fort Wayne, to the City limits at and for the following prices to-wit:-

From Lot No. 1 Williams Addition to Williams street, for grading per cubic yard Thirty (30) cents, and for planking per lineal foot; Twenty-seven 1/2 (27 1/2) cents.

From Williams street to Butler street for grading per cubic yard Thirty cents and for planking per lineal foot Twenty seven 1/2 cents

From Butler street to the "City Limits" for grading per cubic yard Thirty cents and for the Planking per lineal foot Twenty seven 1/2 cents.

said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense, from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of September 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract, and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
C. D. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer.

C. W. Lindlay. Seal

PROPOSAL.

To grade and plank the sid[illegible] side of [illegible] Street, from Lot No 1 Williams [illegible].

To the Mayor and Common Co[illegible] of the City of Fort [illegible].

Gentlemen,

I [illegible] hereby propose to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the [illegible] City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:

	For grading Per Cubic Yard		For Planking Per Lineal Foot	
	%	cts	%	cts
From Lot No 1 Williams Add. to Williams Street		30		27½
" Williams Street to Butler "		30		"
" Butler " " City Limits		30		"
For Crossing of Streets and alleys.		"		"

C. V. Lindley, Contractor.

[illegible] Dec. 27/71

To the Mayor & Common Council
[illegible]

[illegible] award to C. V. Lindley the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to the Specifications

[illegible] Pratt
[illegible]
J. Paine.

SPECIFICATIONS

For grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Columbia from Lot No 1 Williams Add. to the City Limits.

GRADING.

The above sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded, to a width of 10 feet, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1.

The material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractor, at his own expense, to some point, not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Board Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand free from perishable substances, and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean [illegible] gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the cubic yard of Excavation; provided that wherever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said [illegible] excavation.

PLANKING.

The timber used in the [illegible] shall be good, sound White Oak or [illegible] free from wind shakes, The planks to be 4 inches thick, [illegible] and spiked to the stringers with 4 inch spikes, 4 spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long, and the [illegible] Best grade,

All of said work and [illegible] to be under the direction of the City Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section [illegible] of the Revised Ordinances of the City of [illegible] made a part of this Specification,

The [illegible] must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to [illegible] by reason of the nature of said work, and he shall assume all responsibility for any injury, to [illegible] and injury, or damage to [illegible] all suits or actions for damages, that may be brought against the City [illegible] by reason of the doing of said work,

The [illegible] is required to be satisfactory to the City Engineer, or to [illegible] the 15th day of September 1891.

BOND.

Know all men by these Presents,

That we [illegible] Leibfried, Theobald Seibel and Frederick Hamm, of the County of [illegible] and State of [illegible] are held and firmly bound unto the City of [illegible], in the sum of [illegible] Dollars, lawful money of the United States, to be made, to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally by these presents.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the [illegible] William H. Leiding has this day entered into the foregoing contract, made and entered into the 25th day of May 1891, with the Common Council of the City of [illegible], and under all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning of said contract, Now this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness Our hands and seals this [illegible] day of [illegible]

[illegible] Leiding [illegible]

[illegible] Seibel [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible]

Filed [illegible] and approved this [illegible]

[illegible]

CONTRACT.

This Agreement,

[illegible] 24th day of July 1871, by and between John H. Langohr of the County of Allen, State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part;

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to construct a glazed crock pipe sewer eighteen inches in diameter, in the alley between Main street and Columbia street, from Calhoun street to Clinton street for the following prices to wit:-

For the building of said sewer, per lineal foot, One Dollar and Eighty [illegible] ($1.80)

" " Manhole Sixteen (16) Dollars;

" Eighteen inch branches, Three Dollars and Eighty cents ($3.80);

" Six inch connection pipes, including Excavation and filling Ninety (90) cents.

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense, from the owners of the property benefitted by said improvement as assessed by the Common Council, and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain due said [illegible] persons employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party to collect the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. — To be finished on or before the 15th day of September 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Witness Whereof, the [illegible] contracting named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Allen Zollars, City Attorney

E. L. Brackenridge City Civil Engineer

John H. Langohr [seal]

Bond.

Know all men by these presents,

That we John W. Langohr and Jacob Weisman of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, the Payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The Condition of the above Obligation are such that if the above bound John W. Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 24th day of July 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, and fulfil all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, our hands and seals this day and year first above written.

John W. Langohr (Seal)

Jacob Weisman (Seal)

[illegible] Committee [illegible] offered the following [illegible] adopted.

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street, from Webster street to Ewing street.

[illegible] with the resolution, the C. C. Engineer submitted Estimate, allowed John W. Langohr for grading to a width of 12 feet paving with brick to a width of 6 feet, and curbing with stone, the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street, from Webster street to Ewing street, made at 70 cents per lineal foot for the grading and paving and 59 cents per lineal foot for the curbing.

Owners Names	Description	Lot	Block	Feet	Curbing	Grading & Paving	Total	Addition
Bernard Trentman		498		60	35 40	- -	35 40	Wayne
" "		499		60	35 40	- -	35 40	"
Mary C. Ewing		500		60	35 40	- -	35 40	"

Mary C. Irwin		501		22	2	98		12	95	Jeanne
" "		12	21	13	7	67		7	67	Ewing
[illegible] L Williams		11	"	50	29	50		29	50	"
" " "		10	"	55	32	45		32	45	"
" " "		9	"	55	32	45	38	50	70	95	"
[illegible] Rev. J. M. Lowrie		8	"	50	29	50	35	—	64	50	"
[illegible] Neil Labor		7	"	50	29	50	35	—	64	50	"
[illegible] 28th.		6	28	50	29	50	35	—	64	50	"
" "	West 8 Feet of	5	"	8	4	72	5	60	10	32	"
[illegible] Wm M. Clark,	East 42 "	5	"	42	24	78	29	40	54	18	"
[illegible] Charlotte M Taber,		4	"	55	32	45	38	50	70	95	"
[illegible]		3	"	55	32	45	38	50	70	95	"
[illegible]		2	"	51	30	09	35	70	65	79	"
[illegible]		474		60	35	40	42	-	77	40	Jeanne
[illegible]		475		60	35	40	42	-	77	40	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an Order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved July 25th 1871 C. T. Bracketridge

Attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk. City Civil Engineer

When Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said [illegible] to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Clerk presented affidavits of John W. Langer contractor for constructing an 18 inch pipe sewer with the necessary sand pits Man holes and [illegible] now in Fort said from the East line of Ewing street to the Harrison street sewer, and praying that precepts be issued against-

The S. Wyt of Lot No 545 Hannas Add. owned by Christian Dikapp to secure the same $ 14,50

" E Block 12 Ewing " " " Mary C. Erwin " " " " " 55,37

" [illegible] " " " " " " " " 5,57

" " [illegible] " " " " " " " 32,57

" " " " " " " " " 31,57

" " " " " " " " " 32,57

" " " " " " " " " 31,14

" " " " " " " " " 31,14

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

An Ordinance (No. 9) to grade to a width of twelve feet-pave with brick to a width of eight feet and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson street from Division street to Garden street, was read a third time, now. The question being Shall the ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were [illegible] Broadway, Bull, Davis, Fisher, Goshorn, Hamilton, Hogan, Schoepf, Stull, Strouch, Tower, Trimmer, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was

passed.

An Ordinance (N.I.) to vacate the alley running North and South between Lots 128- 125-126 & 127 from Virginia street to Toledo street in Lewis Addition was read a third time now. The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass,? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (16) Nays (none). So the Ordinance was passed

An Ordinance (N. I.) to change the name of Hanna street in Hanna's Addition was read a third time now. The question, being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (16). Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (N. I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the East side of Lafayette Street from Suttenfield street to the North side of Lot No 109 in Lasselle Addition to Fort Wayne, was introduced by Mr. Goshorn, and read a first time now. Mr. Carier moved to suspend the rules for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a 2d time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Carier, Fisher, Hanna, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower & Tremmel (9) Nays Bradway, & Goshorn (2) Not voting Hogan. So the rules of Tagtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (3) Not voting were not suspended.

An Ordinance (No.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut street from Fairfield Avenue to Calhoun street was read a first time, now. Mr. Hogan moved that the rules be suspended: those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) — Nays, Mr. Shryock (1). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (N. I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the South sides of Montgomery street from Lafayette street to Hanna street and both sides of said street from Barr street to Lafayette street and from Hanna street to Harris street was introduced by Mr. Bradway. Mr. Hogan moved that the rules

be suspended. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tower, Tremmel & Vagtmeyer (13) Nays Shryock & Underhill (2) [illegible] and Ordinance [illegible].

Councilman Tremmel offered the following:-
Resolved, That the Committee on the Fire Department be authorized to Contract for a Fire cistern to be built on the corner of Hanna and Wallace streets and also one on the corner of Lafayette and Wallace street to be the same size and for the same price as the one in the Sixth and Eighth Ward.

Conrad Tremmel

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bradway offered the following:-
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and are hereby is instructed to give ten (10) days notice to owners of west half of Lot No 208; west half of Lot No 236; and lot No 223 on Madison street Hanna's Add^n to lay brick sidewalks, six (6) feet wide in front of said lots, and if not laid in ten days by owners of property, the street commissioner is authorized to lay the same at the expense of the owners of said lots.
Which resolution was adopted

Councilman [illegible] offered the following:-
Resolved, That the proper signs be put up at each crossing of streets in the Ninth Ward of the City so as to show the name of each.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Carier offered the following:-
Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that the Gas Company be requested to erect a Lamp post on Clinton street at the South west corner of the alley running East and West between Main and Berry streets; the place so mentioned being on the North east corner of the Post Office building
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:
Resolved, That the City Marshal be instructed to select some other street than those around the Court House square, for wagons and drays to stop on. and that none be suffered to stand on any of the four streets opposite and adjoining said square.
Which resolution was on motion laid on the table.

Councilman Black offered the following

Resolved, That the Committee on Education be instructed to examine the School building in the 7th ward and report at the next meeting of the Council what repairs are necessary to be made on or about the same.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following:

Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to grade the corners of Lots No 16-24-6 & 7 in Sturgis Add'n and Lot No 1 in Minds 2d Addition & No 3 Oakley's Add'n, & Nos 36, 4[illegible] in Smith and Prices Add'n to grade and plank the sidewalks [illegible] on said lots on Locust and Taylor streets within 20 days from date of notice and in default thereof said Commissioner is further instructed to cause said improvement and report the cost of the same to the Common Council for assessment.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire department be instructed to examine and report on the practibility of having Fire Well at intersection of Griffith street with [illegible] to accommodate.

Which resolution was adopted.

Said Resolution further directed the City Fire Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of the Primrose road from Main street to Locust street and report cost to Council.

[illegible]
to contract with the City
[illegible]
Southern
[illegible]
proses to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Fire Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:-

	Jno Trenchard		C.W. Lindlief		P. Brick Dept		Christmas & O'Brian	
	For Grading per Cubic yard	For Planking per Square yard						
From Kramer Street to King Street	30¢	30¢	39¢	2 5/8	27½	28¢	27¢	27¢
" King " " Campanett "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Campanett " " University	"	"	"	"	25	"	"	"
University " " Waller	"	"	"	"	25	"	"	"
Waller " " College	"	"	"	"	27½	"	"	"

Bids to Grade and Plank were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the council at next regular meeting, the lowest and best bidder.

The following bills were then allowed.

B.L.P. Williard,	Streets	24	Jno. Droegemeyer	Fire Dept	50.91
H.C. Taylor	"	30	J.C. Davis	Gen'l Exp.	18
Pat Burns	"	23	R.C. Filson		18
Jno. P. Waters	"	23	Jno B. Trentman		24
John Stiers	"	23	J.H. Hill		24
Geo. Mayers	"	22	H Schomes		24
Nelson Thompson	"	5	C. Bulaygger	Gen'l Exp	5 50
E. Renot	"	7	Bass & Smith	Office Exp	36
H Stiers	"	21	C.A. Zollinger	Police	133 05
J. Lynch	"	21	Bass & Smith	"	50
H Schoppman	"	23	J.A.J. Droegemeyer	Gen. Exp	4
Jno Bonsai	"	20	Ind. Staats Zeitung	Printing	141 25
Con Cull	"	22	Engineer 49.50 Clerk 50		
Jno Hogan	"	13	Market Master 3.75 Marshal 20,		
Isaac Renot	"	1	Treasurer, 7/10		
James Ryan	"	12	Thompson	Sewerage	306
Wm Reed	"	5	D. McKendry	Streets	27
J. Geis	"	22	M. Kelly	"	12 50
Wm Cusse	Bridge Exp.	151 55	City Teams ex	Fire Dept	10

No further business, Council adjourned to Council in Course.

Read, approved and signed
in open Council this 8th day of Aug 1871
Attest Sam Freeman
City Clerk

L. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session
August 8th A.D. 1871

Council met pursuant to adjournment, [illegible] Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Brandriff, Fisher, Hogan, Morgan, Schrenk, Stull, Shurick, Young, Wagner, Hattmeyer, Underhill and Wilson. (11) Absent, [illegible] Kramer & Worthington (4).

[illegible]

Petition [illegible] of adjacent owners of East Wayne and College [illegible] Council,

[illegible]

Petition [illegible] Slaughter houses west of the city on the bank of [illegible] and in an exceedingly filthy condition, and named by [illegible] as a nuisance and detrimental to the health of [illegible] but the entire city, representing still further that the [illegible] into the river and is carried all around the city, [illegible] ers pray that same may be abated.

[illegible] above petition was [illegible] Board of Health, which read in these [illegible] wit:-

We have the honor to report that we have visited the slaughter houses in Butlers addition to Fort Wayne, on the Bank of the St Marys [illegible] examined said slaughter houses and found them intolerable [illegible] al to the health of the whole city, and do hereby recommend [illegible] forthwith

[illegible]

W. H. [illegible]

On motion, the said petition and accompanying report was ordered placed on file.

Petition read from Henry Burgess stating that he was [illegible] of Lots 334 O.Plat and that he had rec'd notice to construct [illegible] ing same. But stated that he was willing to put down [illegible] ing lots 334 somewhere else. Providing Council would grant him a [illegible] longer time.

On motion the said petition was ordered

Petition read from [illegible] and 20 others asking to grade and plank sidewalks on both sides of High street from Washington street west to St. Mary's street.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition read from Kirk Association praying for permission to construct a cistern well on the outer edge of the sidewalk in front of the Kirk on Main st.

Which prayer of petition was granted.

Petition read from Protestant Orphan praying Council to appoint two policemen whose duty it shall be to maintain order at the "Mad Anthony" tank, the expenses of which will be defrayed by petitioners.

Which petition was referred to Common Police.

Petition read from Fred Rüfe and 20 other property holders on Washington street praying that the Ordinance for the Grading, Paving and Curbing the sidewalks on Washington street between Division street and Garden street be amended so as to read to a width of 6 feet for paving, and 10 feet the entire width, and plank curbing instead of stone.

Which petition was on motion, laid on the table.

Common Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: [illegible]

Your Committee on Gas, to whom was referred petition of Simon Feibleman et al., praying for the erection of a Gas Post fronting the Hebrew Church property on Main st would report in favor thereto, and recommend that said lamp post be erected as prayed for in said petition,

All of which is submitted.

[illegible]
A Hartzer
Jno B Morgan } Committee.

Which report was concurred in and Com on Gas instructed to have said work done.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:

Your Committee to whom was referred petition of James Deam and others, praying that a culvert be constructed across Fort Wayne and Hood streets report favorable to the petition and are of opinion that said culvert is of absolute necessity. Therefore we recommend that the prayer of petitioners be granted and be instructed to have the same done as soon as possible.

A.H. Hartzer, } Committee.
Jno Hogan, and Henry Voll

Which report was concurred in by the Council.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:-

Your Committee to whom were referred the Bids for grading and planking the sidewalks on [illegible] have carefully examined said bids and that they recommend that the Contract for said work be awarded to Charles Strickmann and Patrick O'Brian they being the lowest bidders

[illegible]
Henry Stoll

Which report was concurred in and Civil Engineer instructed to draw up contract with said Strickmann & O'B

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:-

Your Committee, to which was referred the petition of L. S. Embry et. al., praying Council to [illegible] and set aside the late survey of Chittenden's Addition would report that they are of the opinion that the Council has no jurisdiction in the matter, and therefore must adverse to the petition

A. H. Xavier,
[illegible]

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:-

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of [illegible] and others asking for grading sidewalks on Washington street from Kansas to Francis streets beg leave to report in favor of the same being constructed for and done at the earliest possible time

A. H. Xavier, Chairman
[illegible]

Which report was concurred in by the Council.

Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of J. M. Granger and others asking for plank sidewalks on Washington street from Kansas to Francis streets beg leave to report adverse to the petition, for the only reason that it is expected that a uniform sidewalk will be wanted soon along said street and that the granting the above mentioned petition might be the cause of some trouble at an distant day.

Henry Stoll, } Comm. Streets
Tim Keegan.

Which report was concurred in by the Council.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:

To the Council:

Your Committee to whom was referred the matter of re-numbering the houses of the City and assigning numbers to vacant lots within the City limits would report that they have given the matter in the subject and would beg to report by referring to the annexed proposal recommending the same as the best thing or offer which, in their mind could be done and obtained from any other source; Costs to be paid by property owners and collected by City Treasurer, the City advancing the amount.

A. H. Carter, Chairman
Com on Streets.

PROPOSAL.

Gentlemen:-

I hereby make the following suggestions in regard to the systematic re-numbering of the houses of this city; also, a proposition for the contract to execute the same:-

First.- Make Caithness Street the dividing line. East and West; North and South [illegible].

Second.- Assign Numbers for every Twenty feet frontage - the same to be recorded in a Reference Book to be left in the possession of the City Clerk.

Third.- The numbers to be painted white, not less than two and one half (2½) inches in height, on a black back ground.

Fourth.- Numbers to be assigned to vacant Lots, and recorded in the Reference Book, to be left in the possession of the City Clerk.

By adopting this plan the city will never require the assignment of new numbers. When new buildings are erected, the proper number can be readily obtained by referring to the Reference Book

I propose to re-number the City on the above plan at the following rates:-

For assigning, painting and furnishing the Numbers with entry in Book, - each 25 cents

" assigning Numbers to vacant Lots and entering in Book each 10 "

The work when finished to be submitted for approval by a Committee appointed by the City Council.

W. Kirk.

Mr. Underhill moved that the report with the Proposal thereon do be concurred in. Mr. Stoll moved to lay Mr. Underhills motion on the table. Mr. Underhill moved to amend by laying report and Proposal on the table. Mr. Stoll moved to amend by laying Mr. Underhill's motion on the table. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Carter, Morgan & Stoll (3) Nays, Broadway, Bull, Fisher, Morgan, Schoepf, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Vogtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (11). So the motion did not prevail, as amended by Mr. Stoll. Mr. Underhill's motion was then adopted and Report and Proposal [illegible].

The following was read from the Board of Health:

To the Honorable Board of
Equalization
of the City of Fort Wayne
Indiana.

Gentlemen.

Your petitioner would respectfully represent unto your Honorable body that he is the owner of a certain lot of ground situated in the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, and described as follows, to wit:

A part of Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) in the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) and running thence West along the North line of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) a distance of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) feet; thence South parallel with the East line of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) a distance of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) feet; thence East parallel with the North line of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) a distance of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) feet to the East line of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77); thence North along the East line of said Out Lot Number Seventy Seven (77) a distance of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) feet to the place of beginning, containing One and Fifty-Seven Hundredths (1.57) acres, more or less.

Which said property was assessed for taxation for the year 1871 at the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00).

Your petitioner would further represent unto your Honorable Body that he is aggrieved at the assessment of said property for taxation for the year 1871 at the sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2000.00).

Your petitioner would therefore pray your Honorable Body to appoint a Board of Equalization to hear and decide upon the justness of said assessment, and to reduce the assessment of said property for taxation to the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00).

Dated this 25th day of July, 1871.

Edward Siedel

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a Board of Equalization to hear and decide upon the justness of said assessment, and to reduce the assessments of Taxes for the year 1871, on property which the same would reduce that are assessed at more than One Thousand Dollars in the City of Fort Wayne," on the 25th day of July, A.D. 1871, and upon due deliberation raised the assessment on the following described property in said City:

OWNER'S NAMES	ADDITION.	Number of		Value of	
		Lot	Block	Lot	Improvements
Edward Siedel	Out Lot 77	77		1500	
Voelker Jacob	North Side	37		200	
Blakely Diedrich	[illegible]	22	12	[illegible]	
Bloomhuff Samuel H.	Harmar	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Boeger William	"	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Bowers Jno. [illegible]	Out Lot	[illegible]			1500
Bowser, Jno.	[illegible]	20		200	
Brames Chr.	[illegible]	30		250	
"	"	29		250	2000
Brown Seneca B.	[illegible]	10		500	
Burgen H. "Est"	[illegible]	[illegible]		300	
Bustina [illegible] H.	[illegible]	75		100	
		71		200	
Case Chas.	[illegible]	[illegible]		100	
Baker Town	[illegible]		[illegible]	100	
Barnett Elizabeth D.	[illegible]	13		1000	
" " "	"	"		2000	
Bals Jno H.	[illegible]	[illegible]	3	1000	
Chester [illegible] H.	[illegible]	[illegible]		1000	
Crane C. F.	[illegible]				250
Culbertson, N.K.	" 27	[illegible]		[illegible]	500

[illegible], C[illegible]	[illegible]	1			10	435	4 550
Drake W.	North Side	75				50	
Abb M.	Kansas	55		sub 7		1 200	
[illegible]	Old Mex	45				500	1 000
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				500	1 000
Eddie Fund	Kansas	545				1 [illegible] 50	
Eddie [illegible]	"	121				100	
Eddie M.	Earthwks	1					50
[illegible]	[illegible]	119					300
Edmund [illegible]	North Side	50					00
[illegible]	Irving	4					300
Ewing Chas	Lewis	57				200	300
Fowler Henry	[illegible]	11				200	
Fleming Charles	[illegible]	44					900
Evans [illegible]	[illegible]	1				200	
[illegible]	[illegible]	154				250	
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[illegible] Stas	North Side	152				200	1100
[illegible]	Lewis	69				250	200
[illegible]	Fremont	63					
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[illegible]	Rockhill	139				100	
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[illegible]	Kansas	403				100	
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Pratt W. T.	Sturgis 2d	6				250	
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		Rockf & Nelson	2		100	
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			150		50	
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			56		110	
			101		300	
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			11		111	
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			4	27	100	
			59		51	
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Wessell Bro	[illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]	
Wheeler Mary	[illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]	
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Virgint Sebastian	Lewis			[illegible]		[illegible]	
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[illegible]	Rockhill			15		[illegible]	
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Schultz W.	[illegible]			9			51[illegible]
Allen Lewis H	[illegible]			2	25	200	
Art Works	Lewis			13			11[illegible]
Brada Fred	[illegible] 12, rd [illegible] 2-30-12					31	
Fleis Jno	Hannah			[illegible]		500	
Match Wm	Lewis			229		100	
P.F.W.&C. R.R.Co.	[illegible]						[illegible],200
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	Jno P. Morgan						
	C.C. Broadway,						
	W.B. Fisher						
	P. S. Underhill						
	[illegible]						
	Conrad Tennel						
	Timothy Horgan					[illegible]	
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	Geo H. Wilson						
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	David Thycock						
	B. H. Tower						
	Wm Tag Kneyer.						
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	Sam P. Freeman		Clerk				

We have also reduced the following described property belonging to the following named persons

Name of Owner.	Addition	Number of Acres		Valued	
		Land	Water	Land	Improvements
[illegible]	Irving	3	25		1500
Fitzgibbon Michael	Irving	39		300	
Knight Edward	"	145		300	200
Lane James	Wells	11		200	
Lee Jacob	Irving	11	10	700	1000
[illegible]		11	25	300	
[illegible]	[illegible]	102			1000
Mary M. M.	[illegible]	2			
Riedel [illegible]	Original Plat	69			2500
" "	Young	34			500
" "	Rockville	235			100
Pilgrim Bank [illegible]	Kansas Pacific	413			300
[illegible]	[illegible]	9			1000
Pratt Wm T.	Sturgis 2d	5		200	
[illegible]	[illegible]	67			500
[illegible] Bond	[illegible]	15			150
[illegible]	[illegible]	50		100	
		37		100	
[illegible]	[illegible]	120			700
[illegible]	[illegible]	15		100	0
Edgerton [illegible]	[illegible]	9	17		
	[illegible]	11	17		500
Knox M Dr.	[illegible]	305			300
Nick Anthony	Irving	14			300
Mankrich Richard	[illegible]	20			150
Oates Robert		20			100
Corcoran Patrick	[illegible]	11			200
Schram Martin		235			200
[illegible]	[illegible]	4			200
[illegible]	"	17	22		300
[illegible]	"	12	32		300
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		300	
[illegible]	Plat of Irving	63			200
Kraffman Chas.	[illegible]	17			200
[illegible]	[illegible]	51			200
McCaffry Hugh	[illegible]	20			150
Rothrock M.	Irving 2d	32			200
Schmoll Gottlieb	[illegible]	119		200	
Ziegler Peter	[illegible]	54		200	
				3000	19250

Haus Thomas	Schuh Prince	41		200	
Hudschel	Edsall	5			
Harley Fred	Prairieville	32		100	
Beach Fred	Genesee	3			1000
[illegible]	[illegible]	19		150	
" "	Cain	3	5	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	1		[illegible]	
Eckart Tobias	[illegible]	1			100
[illegible]	Wm. Fee 11			150	
Wiegman Henry	Lewis	19			120
Linter O.H.	Bousseville	25			500
Linter H.	"	7			
Junkin Bernard	Baker	13		100	100
Miller Simon	Bear Hamo	12		75	
Himbeck Mike	Kansas Lot	13 1/2		500	
" "	Fred	7		200	
" "	Rail Road	10		40	
Buerkert Elizabeth	Genesee	12		100	
Lang Ernest	Hamo	47			300
Dehamm Francis	Prairie	49		200	
Roth Bernard	"	45		200	
Mantes & Jergens	Genesee	11	5	3500	
Hoelker Fred	"	3	32	200	
Muellering Henry	Lewis	122		100	
O'Connor Jeremiah	Baker	14		500	
Bennett H.	"	13		300	
Barkow	Edsall	5		150	
Riebenbinks Chr.	Cattaraugus	26		150	
" "	"	52		15	
" "	Fredonia		12	150	
" "	"		10	150	
Anderson Calvin	Twelfth St	1		300	
"	"	2		300	
"	"	3		300	
"	"	2		300	
"	"	5		300	
"	"	3		500	
Olds N.Y.	Cuny	1	22		5100
"	Lewis	125		500	
"	"	191		200	
"	"	193		300	
"	"	129		360	
"	"	31		300	
"	"	131		1501	5000

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	Lavis	152			121		
	Cavalier	20			300		
	Lavis	2					300
	Cadrail	25			200		
	Pinchon	27			100		
	Colonel	36			200		
	Cavalry	10			13		
	"	6			100		15
	"	11			201		
	Canon	102					500
	Lapin	10					
	"	20			150		
	Cabriolet	20					2000
	"	13			300		
	Les Hirondelles	15			151		150
	Cadeau	11			211		
	Pavillon	11			111		
	Cavalcade	10			100		
	Parisot Luis						1350
	Cerisier	12	19				2100
	Chateaubriand Cadeau	10			100		
	Cortège	10			13		
	"	23			100		
	Vêtements	15			100		
	"	23			51		
	Vêtements	7			151		
	Cortège	10			100		
	"	16			100		
		22			51		
		23			51		
	Vêtements	11			125		
	"	15			125		
		11			125		
		4			100		
	Canon	19					400
	Canon	1					3
	"	11	21				3000
	Cabriolet	15			200		
	Lavis	152			50		
	"	132			50		
	"	155			51		1000
	"	156			51		
	Canon	103					1100
	Mai Rond	5			100		
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Peckenbrink C. & [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
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Wiegman Fred	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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Kelly Timothy	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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Keeler Geo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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Moran Peter	[illegible]	[illegible]			
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Welsh Tho	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
alter Peter	Foundry	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Hohenhaus Peter	Edsall	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Rhodes May Daniel	Foundry	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Klumb Louis	Edsall	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Bommer. Tho	Keyes	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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Geo Murray	College	[illegible]	[illegible]		
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Thos. McGrath	Chute & Price		2		75	
" "	" "		3		75	
Addler A.	Edsall	W ½	12		200	
Ballaman Jos.	"		28		100	
Welker Henry	"	E ½	12		200	
Jones Harriet	Hanna		683 684			200
Tagkmeyer Ernest	Brackenridge		50		300	
Klopfer Peter	Chipman		19		200	
Hedekin T.B.	Hanna	mid 2 loft	63			900
"	"		36			1000
Brick Adam	Old Plat		89			500
Starke E.	Edsall		21			150
Nohe Jos	"		42			150
Koester Jno	Foundry		46			200
Link Mary Mrs.	Hanerkad		90			400
Goshorn J. S.	Foundry		47			200
Speickerll Peter	McMackin		14	200		
Evans A. J.	County		41			2000
Schaeffer Leonard	Stophlet		20	100		100
Rieker Henry	Edsall		6	300		
Roffer Mrs.						
Beerneman Henry	Bands 1st		4	250		
Nohe Jos.	"		10	150		
Schramm Phillip	Foundry		34	200		
Meyer William	Ayres	E ½	10	100		
Bradenmier Wm	Brownsville		12	150		
Fuchs Veronica Mrs	Foundry		39	200		
" " "	"	E ½	40	100		
Rothe Henry	Bands		9	250		
John Nicholas	Ayres		3	50		
" "	"		4	50		
Rolf Fred.	Edsall		14	400		
Kimmel Michael	Foundry		1	140		
Killer Wm	"		184	30		
John Nicholas Tailor	McMaken		1	300		200
Heigeman Henry	Bands 2d		9	400		
Mackenins	Brackenridge		51	300		
Hamilton	Ewings		4	2000		
Luli Phillip	Foundry		59	110		100
Luli Frank	"		00	170		
Fitzpatrick Jno	Chute & Price		12	130		
Rabes Matthias	Foundry		16	320		100
" "			17	230		
Hedekin Mr.	Old Plat	E ½ Lt	63			600
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Ibedekin M.	Old Plat		64		1200	2000
"	County		72		300	
"	"		29		700	
Lafferty J.	Hanna		305			800
Arman L.	Old Plat		37			2500
Sauerwine Ernest	Barthold		16		200	
Wuerstin Saml	"		17		200	
Apley Gottlieb	Stoffel		21		100	100
Thuman C.	Old Plat		176			200
Rhein Fred	Edsall		2		300	
Woebking Conrad	G W Ewing		46			150
" "	Chipman		6			
Rholman Wm.	G W Ewings		7		300	
Alex Nicholas	Foundry		37		200	
Fleming W.	Ewings		1		550	
Burd & Fleming	W. S. Ewings		2		100	
" "	"		4		100	
" "	"		5		150	
" "	"		6		100	
" "	"		7		200	
" "	"		9		50	
" "	"		9		50	
" "	"		10		50	
" "	"		11		50	
Fleming Wm	Rockhill		184			9000
Wefel Jno W Jr.	Wefels		1		450	
Bartnett James	Bakers	W½	17		75	
" "	"		35		150	300
" "	"		42		250	400
Schneider Henry	Hanna		670		100	200
Jennie W. T.	Ewing		9	26		300
Evans Lydia	"		6	19		2000
Rogge Wm	Brackenridge		44		300	
Ruhling Catherine	Hanna		216		70	
Gaffney Edward	Chuck & Price		22		100	100
" "	" "		16			200
Stevens Thos.	Baker	7 1 50/100	10		200	100
" "	"		5		150	
Mahan Dominick "Est"	Baker	W½	22		100	
Deveny Bridget	Baker	E "	"		100	
Young Ludwig	Farmers		15		100	100
Gutekunst Catherine	Hanna		410			200
Martin Lambert	Rockhill		140		200	200
Riesbeck Leo	Hanna		72		200	

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Davidson Chr.	Chute & Prince			19	100		
" "	Sturgis 2d			32	125		
Boardman	Rockhill & Nelson			59			
"	" "			60	150	700	
~~Miller Jno M.~~	" "			61			
Miller Jno M.	Ohanna			181	100		
Ehrman Andrew	"			720	200		
Schacker Chr.	Chipman			5	100		
Whitehead Jno.	Ohanna			568	100	400	
" "	Ewing			5	3 300		
Espiegel August	Tedsall			7	300	700	
Brandt Chas	Brackenridge			23	100		
Hahnkenis Franz	Tarmans			25	250		
"	"			24	200		
Trout Eugene & Co.	Ohanna		4½	82	310		
Miller	Brownsville			15	150		
Shaffer Geo	G W Ewings			29	1	200	
Shaunnessy M.	Chute & Prince			25	100		
Filson R. E.	Rockhill			56		1000	
Doelker Jacob	Northside			37	250		
"	"			53	250		
Gilby Jno	Williams			4	100	200	
Remmert Hermann	Tarmans			21	175		
"	"			22	150		
Porter W. H.	G W Ewings 2d			36	300		
Woolfe W.	Baker		4½	3	175		
Benta	Ewings adm			6	200	100	
"	Rockhill			161	600		
Hankins Jacob	Spencer			33	300		
Herchenteng	Bonds 2d			4	400		
Ryan Rosanna	Sturgis 2d			9	100		
Hogan M.	Chute & Prince			51	250	200	
" "	"			52	200		
Sammons W. "Est"	Ohanna			510	500		
"	Ewings			3			
"	"			4		150	
Fairfield Cyrus	2 acres in Sec T. R.				600		
"	Fairfield			26	100		
"	"			27	100		
"	"			28	90		
"	"			29	50		
"	"			35	20		
"	"			36	10		
Hiestand Conrad	Lewis			179	200		
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	Wilk Jno M.	Wilks		7		500	2300
	Rupp Jno	Rockhill		117		200	
	Arney Amy	Edgell		29		300	100
				30		300	
	Eppel Jno	Hanna		701			
		"	W½	108			200
	Wefel Jno	Wefel		3		100	
	"	Two acres Sec 9 R.		.		225	
..	Stockbridge H. P.	Old Plat		61		400	
	Schroeder & Quatz	Emig		11			400
	" "	"		10			600
	Breese Wm	Bends Ed		2		400	
	English Frank	Edgell		31		300	
	Fallahee Pat	Chute & Prince		50		150	
Postponed	Langohr Jno W.	Pt Lt.	Sec 10	7 6/100 acres			
		North side		11		50	
	"	"		21		130	
	"	"		23		130	
	Kronemier Jno	Farman		6		150	
				7		130	
	Reidmiller J. M.	Stoffel	Und ½	15		100	
	Dierstein Conrad	"	"	14 15		100	
	Reidmiller Jno M.	Reidmiller		6		50	
	~~Dierstein~~ E. " "	~~Stoffel~~ Reidmiller		9		50	
	Dierstein C.	Stoffel		31		100	
	Woulfe P.	Hamilton		100			700
	Trunk L.	" 2d		97			400
	Grey Chas.	Old Plat		56			1000
	Woulfe R. H.	Brandriff & Ayres		30		250	250
	Gilmartin Ed.	Williams		39		150	300
	Cody Maurice	Old Plat		2		300	200
		Hanna		354		150	200
	"	Old Plat		36			500
	"	Ice House					500
	"	Hannas		2			300
	Mehan -						
	Bostician Bridget	Baker		25		150	
	Mafch Wm	Lewis		229		175	
	Lehman Jno C.	Hanna		75			200
	Koerning Geo	"		491			1000
	"	Mc. Makens		16		200	
	Hornstein Jno Ham	Hamilton		101			200
	Kuby Thos	Chute & Prince		40		200	
	Ehrman	Bloomingdale.				250	

Sabler Jean	Lewis		118	100	
~~Sattot Jacques~~	"		~~12~~	~~100~~	
Saunders Benj	Jones		7	100	
Schaeffenhorst Henry	Bowserville		33	50	
Schuman Ernest	Brandiff & Ayres		33	100	
" "	G W Ewings 1st		13	400	
Smith Jacob	Ayres		12	100	
Schaul Louis	G W Ewings 1st		5	300	
Schneider Gottlieb	Northside		215	250	100
Schneider B.H.	Old Flat		49		2000
Schoepf Delia & Casper	Bowserville		8	100	
Schoffman Henry	Hanna		252	100	
Schraman Jno	Lasselleville		140		200
Schuckman Jno G.	Hanna		457		200
Schuler Max	"		312		300
Schilke Jno B.	"		729	100	
" "	"		730	100	
Schwab Jno	College		65	100	
Schwegman R.	Old Flat	20 ft	44		2000
Schweghman Conrad	Bowserville		35		100
Siebold Jno	Hanna		668	100	
Sedgwick Jno.			43		200
Rawking F.	G W Ewings 1st		8	400	
Raw G. A.	Northside		36	50	
Reed N.B.	Old Flat		46		2000
Rehorst Fred	Hanna		153		150
Reker B. J.	Brandiff & Ayres		34	300	
Renshaw E & J.	Williams		56		200
Rhinesmith Jno	Rockhill		122		1000
Rhoads D.	Foundry		29	50	
Richards D.	Lewis		27½	80	
Ritter Anthony	Bowserville		4	100	
Robertson W.S.	Brackenridge		41	200	
Robinson R.L.	Rockhill		53		200
Robinson W.M.	Brandiff & Ayres		15	50	
Roof Mary	Spencer		20	300	
Rose Anthony	G W Ewings 2d		22	300	
Rosenthall J.M.	Ewings		9	19	1000
Rudisill Emanuel	Lewis		270	75	
Rue N.T.	Old Flat		96	1000	
Rubling Theresa & C.	Foundry		41	100	
Rupfel Zahan	Edsall		27	300	
Ryan Pat. C	Baker	W½	15	100	
Sable Leo,	McCulloch	W½	12	100	

Pape Chas	Wefel	7 8	100	
Paul Ch	McCulloch	8	150	
Peters Clem &	Hanna	2/21		400
Petsinger Jn't	Jaman	2	200	
" F. L.	Bowerville	9	100	
"	"	10	100	
Phillips Geo	County	13	500	800
Phillips Barney	Old Plat	76		1000
Pierce James	Rockhill	3	250	
Pirny Jno	Johnson	35	50	
Pratt Allen	Northside	29	50	
Pratt Henry	"	19	100	
Pontius C. C.	"	25	130	
"	"	27	130	
Robio Jno	Bowerville	2	200	
Racine A.	"	3	100	
Racine A.	Northside	46	120	
"	"	48	50	
Racine F. L.	"	24	100	
"	"	74		200
Meyers W. H.	Baker	31	100	
"	"	32	100	
"	"	37	100	
Niereiker Conrad	Ewing	6 27		1000
Neelke Phillip	Hanna	250		300
Ninde L. M.	Old Plat	79		500
Nindlinger J.	Edsall	34		300
Nuttman D.	Ewing	7		3000
Nuttman J. M.	"			600
McDermott Mary	Baker	40	350	
Niecke W.	G. W. Ewings	38	200	
Jacoby Meyers & Co	Lewis	162	250	
" " "	"	154	250	
" " "	"	155	250	
" " "	"	156	250	
Oakley B. W.	Old Plat	41		500
O'Connell	Hanna	387		400
"	Old Plat	61		1000
Oheck P. "Est"	"	49		500
" " "	"	72		500
" " "	Ewing	6	200	
Ohnhaus Mary	Old Plat	08		1000
Orff & Lacy	Stone Mill Brokerage			9000
Ormiston Jas.	Bonds 1st	5	250	

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Annicka James	Noels 2d			9	2		500	
Asgood A.L.	Brandiff and Ayres			17			50	
Meyers Almira	Brackenridge			47			250	
Miller R.C.	Ewings 1st			2			300	
Miller Catherine	Sturgis 2d			33			100	100
Miller W.H	North Side			30			100	
Mineke E.	College			53			100	
Meisner A.	North Side			63			100	
Monroe L.	Lewis	West 1/2		8				100
Moran Patrick	Baker			12			200	
Moran Peter	Keanna's C.L. No						600	
Moran Jno	Baker			12			100	
Morgan Jno B.	Bonds 2d			10			400	
Muehlenbrock G.	College			66				100
Muhlfeit E.	Northside			51			200	300
Müller Xavier	Foundry			2				200
Mueller Chas	G.W. Ewings 2d	E 30 ft		18			200	
Minich Phillip	North Side			89			50	
" "	"			90			50	
Minich Jacob	"			151			50	
" "	Lasselleville			3				100
Murray Ken	Ewing			2	26			1000
Murray & Baker							500	
Markey L.	Brandiff & Ayres			14			100	
"	Wilks			18			200	
Martin D.T.	Lewis	E/2		265			200	
Martin T.	"	W.		"			200	
Martin Jane	Ewing			2			300	
Martin C.	Lewis			239			200	
McCann Jno	Wilks			16			200	
Kinnan R.	Bonds			17				100
McCurdy A.R.	Bowseville			13			100	
" M.J.	Ewings 2d			25			250	
McDonald's P. "Est"	Noels 3d			11			200	
"	"			13			100	
McDonald J.	Baker	W/2		46			100	100
Driscall Ed.	"			45				200
Empie W.B.	Bonds			27				200
McGuire Chas	Bowseville			16			100	
McKehan J.	G.W. Ewings 1st			3			300	
McKinley P.	North Side			47			250	
McClellan H.	Bowseville			27			100	
McLaughlin D.	Spencer			23			300	
" "	Chipman	North 1/2		5			600	
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Mc Laughlin D.	Edsall			17	400	
Mc Mahin A. & W.	Hamilton's 1st			30	200	200
Mc Mann Thos.	Baker			11	100	
Mc Phail Wm	Bunds Sub. O. L. 2			11	100	
Melching C.	Mc Culloch's			7	150	
Merrell	Noels 3d			10	200	
Foster W. T	Hamilton's		East 1/2	13		100
Mayer Geo	Mc Culloch		mid	1	100	1740
~~Hoffendorff Wm~~	~~Northside~~ ~~Vac~~					
Lauer H.	Edsall			43	150	
Laurent J.	Homestead			13	50	
Leon Jno	Ewing			3	200	300
Lehman Chas	Old Plat			56		500
Lehman J.	Williams			8	50	
Lehnert H.	Shop Lot			11	300	
Lehnke Chas	Rail Road			22	240	
Leifels J. J.	Hamilton's			31		300
Linker C. H	Bonneville			24	100	
"	"			25	100	
Leeser Chas	Walls			10	200	
Little Jno	Old Plat			19		400
Lindeman Wm	S W Ewings 2d			18	120	
"	"			19	300	
Link Geo	Lasselleville			20	100	
Little Geo L.	Ewings			4	300	
" " "	"			5	300	1000
" " "	"			6	300	
Laurent A.	Bonneville			14	100	
Lordier Phil	Northside			40	50	
Lourie Rev	Ewings			~~8~~ 21		300
Lowry Robt	Rockhill					1000
Luhman	Mc Culloch			4	100	100
Little Wm	Ewing			10		700
Meddigan Bird	Baker			15	200	
Maguire Owen	"			7	300	100
Malcolm C.	Rail Road			21	200	
Manier J.	Hamm			392		200
Manier H. "Est"	Lasselleville			5	50	
" "	"			9	50	
" "	"			10	50	
Kleinburger Jno	Lewis			228	100	
Knotke J.	Hamm			122	~~50~~	500
Kochs J. J.	Mc Culloch			~~30~~ 35	100	
Koch C.	Brackenridge			30	200	

Koch A. J.	Spencer		27		300	
Kohlman C	Bowserville		23		100	
Koldhoff J.	Edsall		21		400	
Kopfe Henry	G.W. Ewings 2d		40		300	
Kraft J.	Homestead		18		50	
Kraft P.	Lewis		169		100	
Kratsch H.	W.G. Ewings		5		400	
Kuhn H.	Tannan		8		150	
"	"		9		150	
Kuhnemeier Jno	"		6		150	
" "	"		7		150	
Kruse Chas	G.W. Ewings		41		300	
Kumzleman A.	College		29		50	
"	"		47		50	
Kunkel J.W	Hanna		291			300
Lehmeyer Jno	Spencer		22		300	
Lehman Geo.	Bonds 1st		6		250	
Laidlaw W.	Bass & Hanna		74		50	
"	" "		75		50	
Landman H.	North Side	C1/2	56		100	
Koiske Chas	Spurgis 2d		30		100	
Berkels Jno	Foundry		53		100	
Kimball W.	G.W. Ewing 2d		35		300	
Selle August	Baker		4			100
Shea Hannah	G.W. Ewings		10		400	
Sheban Ed.	Baker		41		300	
Shoreban Catherine	Old Plat	Sub 2	71			300
Sherry Geo H.	Williams		51		150	
Shryock Samuel	Wels 3d		7		200	
" "	North side		54		130	
" "	"		52		150	
" "	"		62		100	
" "	Ewing		4 4		450	200
" "	"		2 4		400	
Sidle Isaac	Rockhill & Nelson		19		100	
Seibold David	Tannan		1		150	
Seiman August	Old Plat		71			500
" "	Foundry		50		50	
Simms William	Bowserville		19		60	
Simm Paul	Hanna	E/p	176		50	
Simms Oscar J.	Rabb Road		4		200	400
Sinclair Thos.	Hanna	E/p	176		150	
Singingmaier Joseph	Shipman		16		400	

Singleton Mike	" Baker		42		350	250
Singleton Ellen	"		43		350	
Sitkens Steven	Ewing		6	4	300	
Skeith Ed. "Esq"	Baker		2			500
Smoker Tobias	Lewis		167		200	
Sommer Fred.	Harman		19		150	
" "	"		20		160	
Sowine Mary	Barkhalds		3			100
Stahlhurst Eliza & I	G W Ewings 1st		4		300	
Stahl Chr.	Lewis		269		45	
Stahlhurst Chas	G W Ewings 1st		1		150	
Stapleford S.E.	Hanna		2			200
" "	Old Plat		52			1000
Siegenwald Jno A.	Hanna	Esp	210		100	
Stein Fred W.	Bonds 1st		7		250	
Stenecker Fred	Sturgis 2d		16		100	
Stephens Henry	Hanna		218		50	
Stevens R. L.	Williams		43			400
Stein Daniel	Brandriff & Ayres		21			200
Stull Henry	Lewis		168		100	100
" "	Harman		23		190	100
Stoner Wigent Heo	Hanna		562			1000
Strauser Joseph	Bonneville		6		120	
" "	"		7		120	
Striekmatter M.A.	Homestead		67		150	~~100~~
Sully Richard	Old Plat		131		1000	
" "	" "		"		1000	
Sutton Jno	Brandriff & Ayres		31		300	
Stroke Dennis B.	" "		7		50	100
Schwartz Geo	Chipman		2		200	
Sweetser M	Ewing		~~11~~ 27			1000
Sweeney Thos.	"		12	27	400	300
" "	"		11		~~300~~	300
" "	Old Plat		74		~~1500~~	1500
" "	"		75		~~1000~~	1000
Swiney James	Baker		8			
Spunson A	1 acre					100
Taber H	Old Plat E 20 ft		40			1000
Taber Charlotte A.	Ewing Adm		3		300	
Tagmeier	North Side		158		190	
Tam Silas Jr.	Harrison		75		300	

Taylor R. W	Kansas		474		1000
" "	"		558	200	
" "	"		557	200	
" "	"		556	100	1000
Taylor Jno	College		59	100	
"	"		60	100	
"	"		61	100	
Tecklenbrock Fred	"		58	100	
Thime B.	Kansas		383	100	
" "	"		379	100	
Thime Jno G.	Old Plat		39		500
"	College		31	50	
"	"		62	100	
"	"		13	50	
"	"		21	50	
"	"		35	50	
"	"		64	100	
Tigges Ernst	S.W. Ewings		9	400	
Westkamb H.L.F.	Sec			300	200
Habecker W.H.	S.W. Ewings		20	80	
"	"		21	40	
Habecker Jno			21	120	
Haffner Jno	College		20	50	
" "	"		27	50	
" "	"		28	50	
Hagen F.	Rail Road		22	150	
Haber Fred	North Side		39	200	
Hambrock Fred	Lewis		25	190	
Hamilton & Williams	Old Plat		23		
" "	"		27		5000
Herman Louis & Co	"	Mid 33×60	92	1000	
Hartman Eliza	Ewings		1	400	1000
Hartman Wm. Heb	Brackenridge		39	200	
Hartman Valentine	Carrollville		145		100
Hartman L.	Edsall		39	200	
Hassey E.	S.W. Ewings 2		42	300	
Haus David	Rockhill		163	150	
Hazehurst H.G.	Kansas		284		200
Heger Ida & E.	North Side		15	100	
Hibler Samuel	S.W. Ewings 1st		12	400	
Heinlin Anna M.	Brandiff Lewis		18		300
Heit Alex	North Side		33	200	
Henderson Eugene	Kentucky		48		200

Heuchen Henry	Bonds 2d		41		400		
Hiemig Peter	Ayres	S/L	20		100		
Hettler Gottlieb	Lewis		237		100		
Hilgeman F. W	College		48		50		
" "	Bonds 2		8		400		
Hilgeman Ernest	College		18		50		
" "	"		19		50		
Hilgeman Henry	Brackenridge		19		200		
Hill David	Parsons		14		100		
Hill Jno	Hanna		526		500	500	
Hill & Orbison	"	Basin Lot				2000	
Hilt David	Bakers	W/L	9		175		
Himbert Jno	Ayres		13		150		
Hitzman Fred	G.W. Ennis		24		150		
Hitzman Catherine	Edsall		12		400		
Hoaglund Pliny	Ennis		7	19	500	3000	
Hockmeyer Ernest	Bonds S. A. L.		12		200		
Hoffman Jno A.	Foundry		36		200		
Hogan C. J.	Bonneville		11		100		
Homeyer Chr	Edsall		3		300		
Homeyer Chas	McCulloch		10		300		
Hindheim Jacob	Ayres 2d		24			100	
Hoover Wm	Hanna					500	
Horst Sophia	G.W. Ennis		14		400		
Horstmeyer Henry	Edsall		22		400		
" "	"		23		400		
" "	"		24		900		
Hough Jno	Lewis		196		100		
" "	"		185		100		
" "	Foundry		19		100		
" "	"		23		100		
" "	"		24		100		
" "	"		25		100		
Houstis Alex	Rockhill		84		500	3000	
"	"		85		500		
Hull Solomon	North Side		31		150		
Hunt Edward	Bass & Hanna		3		100		
" "	" "		4		100		
Hunter W.T.	North Side		35		200		
Hutchinson James	Old Plat		85		2000		
Halsell Jno	G.W. Ennis 2d		11		400		
Ida Elizabeth	Chute & Price		37		200		
Irvin Martha & J.S.	Rockhill		30			1000	
Isby Louis C.	Bonneville		30		50		

Jacobs Chas.	Old Plat		90				1000
Jacob Fred	Hanna		466			300	
Jacoby Geo	Old Plat		33			100	
"	"		34			100	
Jasper Rudolph	Bends 2d		7			400	
Jeffords C.W.	Hannas		14				
"	Tabers		39				1500
Jenkinson M "Est"	Old Plat	W/f	53				2000
" Isaac	Quinys		8	30		500	500
Jobst Alex	Bowerville		38				100
Joerck August	Quinys		5	4		200	
Kayser Conrad	North Side	S/2	36			100	
Kammeier Henry	G.W. Quinys		17			200	
Kane Geo	Old Plat		51				
"	"		52				
"	"		57				1500
"	Hannas		320			1000	
Kane Fred	"		25			500	
"	"		267				
"	"		305				
"	Quinys		10			200	
Kanklin Elizabeth	Rockhills		164			200	
Cook Chas.	Hanna		396				200
Combs W.H.	Hannahs		479				1500
" J.W.	Rockhills		190				1000
Corcoran Patk	Wilks		6			100	
Creighton Wm	Brackenridge		70			700	
Cull Edward	Wels 3d		12			100	
Denever Henry	Quinys 1st		15			300	
Dunsan Jno W.	Tabers 6		16				1500
Dessemer Hfo	Old Plat		52			1000	
Develin Mary	Tabers	(frl)	19				
"	"	(")	34				200
DeWald Geo	Old Plat		115			1000	
Didier Frank	Wels		3	3		90	
Deifrich Jacob	Bakers	E/2	17			100	
Dills Henry	Spencers		19			300	
Dorman	Lewis		205			100	
Dunahue F.	Quinys (2d)		2				400
Edmunds Emily	North Side					80	
Ely Aug	Cypres 0		19			120	
" Fred	"	E/2	23			200	
Ercoff Francis	Hannas		36			300	
Emerick A.J.	Quinys		4				
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Emrick Jno	Clerk	1	11	2 00		
Evans 2.C.	"	1			2500	
Edsall Jno	"	1	10		1000	
Evans Dallis	"	5				
	Rockhill	95			2000	
Evans Mc F	Clerk	11	11		300	
	"	12	11		400	
Ewing Y.M.	Horse	350			7000	
Foster A.K.	"	599			300	
Field Chas	Mail "	11		225	100	
Field Fred	"	151			100	
F. in H.	Horse	214			200	
1st Nat Bank	Teller	10		100		
Fish Jno B.	Teller	5		200		
Fisher Michael	"	1	20	500		
Fitzgerald Wm	Mail	20		50		
Fitzgerald	"	1		100		
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Foreman Fred	"	2		300		
For Valeria	Dressmaker				100	
	"	1		1		
	"					
	"	1		50		
	"	11		50		
	"	1		50		
	"	4		50		
	"	20		50		
	"	1		50		
	"	12		50		
	"	10		50		
F.W. Gas Co Company	Steamer			1	2000	
For W.	Clerk	11		50		
Hamilton H.	Mail Clerk	15		200		
	"	11		50		
Coleman Chas		2			100	
Foster H.	Superintendent	12		200		
Foster S.	Clerk			1	200	
F.W. Finn Co.	Grocer	90		3000	5000	
Gaffney P.	Baker	23	11		100	
Gans Louis	Commercial	21		100		
Geise Jacob	Farm	250		150		
	"	255		25		
Gerke Fred	"	195		50		
Gibbs James	Lt. G. Guards Ridgeway	11		500		
Glading Jacob	Carpenter	31			500	
Golden H	Mail Clerk	11		50		
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					5		200	
					9		200	
					52			1000
					25			300
					5	28		1000
					2		500	
					1		200	700
					97			1000
					20		300	
					76		250	
					40		200	
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					776			400
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					57			1100
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Cannahan Silas L.	Warren		722		300	
"			724		200	
"			725		200	
"			726		100	
Case Charles Col	Rockhill		128			500
" " (Engineer)	Akron		2		700	
Chowen Thos H	Old Plat	E/2	12		300	
Chittenden Mary E.	Warren		108		1000	
"	"	W25 H	527		200	
Clark Peter	Akron		141		250	
Clauss Jno F	Canton		720		3	500
Coleman H.						500
Bergman Wm	Canton		15		600	
Carter Wm	Old Plat	S/2	425		400	
"	"		426		100	
"	"		427		300	
Cull Edward	Novelty 3rd	E/2	2		100	
Tompkins E.	Conneaut		21			
" "	"		22			
"	"		23		5000	5000
"	"		24			
"	"		35			
"	"		36			
"	"		37			
Tooze Patrick	Brandriff and Ayres		32		350	
Tress L. Chr	Warren		128			500
Andreas Jno	Canton		7		100	
Matthews	Warren		361			200
Unwin			326		200	
Tyler Henry	Perry		1		300	
Valentine Benjamin	Conneaut		47			2000
Armstrong M.	Mecca		72		100	
Tigner L.	Lewis		108		150	
Vankuren J.	Brookfield		43		250	
Aubrey Chas	Warren		585		100	
Andrews Conrad	McMahon		15		200	
Ault Peter	Canton		5			
Aveline Francis Est	Akron		7			500
"	Vienna		100		100	
Ayres H.P.	Old Plat	N1/2	185			200
Isaac Newton	Brandriff					
Bagley Hugh	North Side		41		200	
Buckeast John			15			150
~~Baker Jacob, Killian VH.~~	~~Old Plat~~	~~E 20~~	~~56~~		~~300~~	

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"	"		233		50	
Kaufman Jos	Edson		28		200	
Kudda Fred	[illegible]				200	
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[illegible]	[illegible]		41			500
"	[illegible]		2			500
"	"		37			500
"	[illegible]		41		20	
"	"		92		50	
"	"		135		400	
"	"		136		300	
"	"		137		200	
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" "	"		13			500
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	[illegible]		405			5000
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[illegible]	[illegible]		49		300	
"	[illegible]				1000	
[illegible]	[illegible]		5		150	
[illegible]	[illegible]		6		50	
Niemuth Andrew	[illegible]	G 1/2	12		500	
Josse M. T.	North Side					1000
Wiesser Magdelena	[illegible]		46			500
Wilkening Gottlieb	[illegible]		23		250	
" "	"		20		100	
[illegible]	[illegible]		15		100	
[illegible] Elizabeth	[illegible]		42			200
Mann Sarah J.	Brackenridge		40		200	
					246010	306750

White Jas B.	Hanna	E/2	315		246010		4000
Whitley Mary	Lewis	E/2	3				100
Wiebke Fred	Brandtsif & Ayres		25		200		
Wicke Friedrich	Chapman	E/2	12		200		
Wilkins Hannah	Ewing	50		2	200		
Wilmot J. C.	Bonnerville		5		120		
Whoenke Fred	Hanna		34[illegible]		[illegible]		
Wolf A.	Old Plat		75				1[illegible]
Kabrick Julius	" "		95		500		
Wolf A	Hanna		537				
	Ewing	Frl					500
Wood Geo W.	Hanna		571				3000
Woulfe M.	Ba[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
Yahn Lucinda	Edsall		16		[illegible]		
Young Elizabeth	Ayres		11		100		
Zahn Wm	Lewis		43		30		
"	"		154				[illegible]
Zimmerman A.	Old Plat		67				500
Zirk Jno	Lewis		2[illegible]		[illegible]		
Zollars Valentine	Hanna		12		150		
" "	"		13		150		
Zuber Jacob	Foundry		15		50		
Wilder Jno M.	Old Plat		88				2000
Edgerton W. K.	Hanna		473				2000
Miller David	Foundry		2		200		
Pickenbrink Chas	Hanna		418				500
Kuner Wm	"		408				200
Kramer G.	W.S.		19		200		250
Schaffer Henry	"		2[illegible]		215		
Brown Rebecca	Ewing	W 30 ft	3	4	300		
McLauchlin Mary	"	E 20 "	3	4	150		
Keel A. L.	Edsall	W 1/2	8		160		
Becker A. W	Hanna	S 1/2	674				[illegible]
Douglas Wm B.	"		643				500

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Amount Returned by Assessor. 125[illegible]

" Raised " Board,

Making Total of [illegible]

Amount deducted by Board.

Leaving the Taxables @ [illegible]

All of which is respectfully Submitted

Jno B Morgan, Chairman
Wm Bradbury
[illegible]
P. D. Underhill
[illegible]
Edward Pierrepont
Timothy Keegan
Wm W Bull
Geo W. Wilson
Henry Abel
Samuel Thurnock
B.H. Power
William Tag Kneys
} Committee Board of Supervisors

[illegible]
Dan. I. H[illegible],

[illegible].

Which report was rec'd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to make Duplicate as per report.

Special Committee of Citizens submitted the following:-

[illegible]

We your Committee appointed to confer with the Officers of the P.W.&W. R.R. Co. relative to location of shops in this city [illegible] respectfully report:-

That since our last report, in reply to a telegram from your committee addressed to the Hon. A. Boody, President of said road, asking whether the appropriation of $15,000 in bonds of this city, in addition to tract of land would yet secure the location of their shops here, we received the following:

Saratoga, Aug 5th 1871

J. H. Bass, Fort Wayne.

If you raise the $45,000, that is the land and the $15,000, we shall accept it. Answer me here.

(Signed) Boody,

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. Bass, Chairman,

Committee of Citizens.

Which report was read and placed on file

On motion of Councilman Morgan the rules were suspended to present the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance be instructed to make a contract with the P. W. & W. R.R. Co. for the permanent location of the shops of said Company in

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Councilman Bull offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Engineer is hereby instructed to prepare an Estimate in favor of Neil McKay for paving gutters and grading and gravelling Berry Street from [illegible]

In accordance with above resolution C. C. C. submitted the following Estimate allowed Neil McKay for paving gutters and grading and gravelling Berry Street from Calhoun Street to Harrison street made at 30 cents per lineal foot for the gutters and 25 cents per cubic yard for the grading and [illegible]

		103	70	21		63	55	55	00	Original Plat
		"	40	12		38	60	50	60	"
		"	20	6		19	30	25	30	"
		"	20	6		19	30	25	30	"
		"	20	6		19	30	25	30	"
		515	19 5/10	-	-	19	10	19	10	Hanna
			40 7/10	12	05	38	79	50	84	"
		515	60	18		57	90	75	90	"
	Trustees of Berry Street Methodist Episcopal Church.	517	60	18		57	90	75	90	
		512	60	18		57	90	75	90	
		513	30	9		28	95	37	95	
		"	30	9		28	95	37	95	
		514	60	18		57	90	75	90	
		104	20	6		19	30	25	30	Original Plat
		"	40	12		38	60	50	60	"
		105	10	3		9	65	12	65	"
		"	50	15		48	25	63	25	"
		106	60	18		57	90	75	90	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved August 8th 1871.

C. A. Brackenridge,
City Engineer.

Attest, Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed [illegible] Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed to [illegible] in favor of [illegible] for grading and gravelling the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Calhoun to Griffith street.

In accordance with the above resolution C.C. Engineer submitted following First Estimate allowed [illegible] for grading curbing with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Ewing street to Griffith street made @ 39 cents per lineal foot.

Owner's Names	Addition	Number of Lot.	Number of Block	Number of Feet	Assessment For Curbing	Assessment For Grading & Paving	Total
Heirs of the Estate of Joseph Solomon,	Ewings	12	22	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
		11	22	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
Charlotte A. Tabor,	"	10	22	55	32 45	38 50	70 95
George W Ely,	"	9	22	55	32 45	38 50	70 95
Arnold Wells,	"	8	22	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
Lindley M. Ninde,	"	7	22	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
Rebecca Anderson	"	1	27	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
" "	"	2	27	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
John Hough	"	3	27	55	32 45	38 50	70 95
"	"	4	27	55	32 45	38 50	70 95
Henry Mohlhirslez	"	5	27	50	29 50	35 00	64 50
Conrad Nerrieter	"	6	27	50	29 50	35 00	64 50

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved, August 8th 1871

C. D. Brackenridge,
City Engineer,

Attest Saml. Freeman,

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and [illegible] in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Hood offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed to prepare Estimates in favor of Shaffer and Griebel for grading and gravelling Lewis street from Hanna street to Monroe street; and from Monroe street to Clay street.

In accordance with above instructions, C.C. Engineer submitted the following 1st Estimate allowed Shaffer and Griebel for Grading and Gravelling Lewis street from Hanna street to Monroe street, made at 23 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the grading,

Owners Name	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Amount for Gravelling		Total		Addition
Elvira V John B. Dubois	S p l c ½ Lot	264	45 9/10	19	05	19	05	Kumms
" " " "	E. 20 ft of	263	20 38/100	8	46	8	46	"
Benningen Hugh & Margaret	S.W. 40 X 161 ft of	"	40 76/100	16	92	16	92	"
" " "	S.E. 20 X 141 " "	262	20 38/100	8	46	8	46	"
Braman Julia	S.W. 40 X 118 " "	"	40 76/100	16	92	16	92	"
" "	S 60 X 130 " "	261	61 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
0 E. Bradway		1	60	24	90	24	90	Lewis
Davis Susan H.		2	50	20	75	20	75	"
Whiteley Mary	The E ½ of	3	25	10	37	10	37	"
Richmond D.C.	" W " "	"	25	10	37	10	37	"
Samuel L Hough		4	50	20	75	20	75	"
Peter Merz		5	59 9/100	24	65	24	65	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, as approved August 8th 1871,

C. D. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer

Attest, Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following First Estimate allowed Greibel & Shaffer for Grading and Graveling Lewis street from Monroe street to Clay street made at 23d per cubic yard for the grading, and 83 ¾ per lineal foot for the graveling.

Owners Name.	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Amount for Gravelings		Total		Addition
John B. Besen		260	6 14/100	25	38	25	38	Kumms
Henry C. Meier		259	6 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
" " "		258	6 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
Fred Bickness		257	6 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
Hazan Barrand.		256	6 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
Nicol Kehling	E ½ of	255	30 57/100	12	69	12	69	"
Henry Kehling	W ½ "	"	30 57/100	12	69	12	69	"
Samuel L. Hough		7	50	20	75	20	75	Lewis
Klinesingburger Chris		6	60	24	90	20	75	"
Mosier Lewis	W ½	8	25	10	37	20	75	"
Krepp John	E ½	"	25	10	37	20	75	"
Peter Schwager		9	50	20	75	20	75	"
John Mosier		10	50	20	75	20	75	"
Conrad Kodenbeck		11	50	20	75	20	75	"
Jacques Sallot		12	60	24	90	24	90	"

I Certify the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved, August 8th 1871 — Chas E Brackenridge, City Engineer.

Attest: Sam. P. Freeman, City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following 1st Approximate Estimate in favor of Kindorf & Moellering:

First Approximate Estimate in favor of Kindorf & Moellering for constructing the Extension of the Holman street Sewer from Barr street to Lafayette street — $600.00

I would respectfully recommend the allowance of the above Estimate.

C E Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which approximate Estimate was approved, and Clerk instructed to issue in City orders to the Contractors the sum of $600.

City Civil Engineer submitted First Approximate Estimate in favor of Wm McKay for grading and graveling Barr street

Calhoun street to Harrison street

Grading	530 C. yds @	34¢	170.20	
Graveling	15 feet @	1¢	15.00	
Alley.				
Crossings of Harrison street	Graveling	66 ft @	1.95	129.00
	Grading	800 c. y.	08	24.
Cobble stone gullers		361 lin ft	1.80	354.00

Certified Correct

T. T. C

Which Approximate Estimate was [illegible] instructed to pay Contractor in [illegible] Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of John W. Laughlin for Grading and Graveling [illegible] Avenue, from Calhoun street to McClellan street.

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this eighth day of August 1871, and between John W. Laughlin of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana,

[illegible] of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said [illegible] part [illegible] grade and gravel Douglas Avenue, from Calhoun street to McClellan street al and for the following prices to-wit:

From Calhoun street to Harrison street,		for gravelling	per lineal foot	89 cents
" " " " "	"	grading	" cubic yard	28 "
" [illegible] " [illegible]	"	[illegible]	[illegible]	7 "
" " " " "	"	grading	" cubic yard	24 "
" Webster " " McClellan "	"	grading	" lineal foot	89 "
" " " " "	"	grading	" cubic yard	28 "

Culverts per 1000 feet B. M. Thirty Dollars ($30.00)

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his [illegible] the owners of property bordering on said street [illegible] said points, and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payments thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

[illegible] specifications, then the said party of the second part shall lose the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and reletting the same, and the contractor of said last shall be responsible for all damages [illegible] by reason of said failure to [illegible] according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, [illegible] have hereunto set [illegible] hands, the day and year above written.

By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne. [illegible]

SEAL

[illegible]

SPECIFICATIONS.

For grading and gravelling Douglas Avenue from Cedar to Lovell Street.

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, John W. Langohr, Jacob Weisman and Christian Schiefer, of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, are [illegible] firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne in the sum of One Thousand Dollars the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above bound obligation are such that if the above bound John W. Langohr, shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 8th day of August, 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

50 Cent Revenue Stamp

Witness Our hands and seals the day and year last above written

John W. Langohr
Jacob Weisman
C. Schiefer

Which Contract, Bond & Specifications were approved by the Council

[illegible]

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of C.W. Lindlay & Co. for Grading and Graveling Calhoun [illegible] the T.W. & W.R.W. to the South limits of the City, [illegible] and to be made and [illegible]:

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this Eighth day of August 1871, by and between Christian W. Lindlay and John C. Conrad, of the firm of C.W. Lindlay and Co., of the County of Allen, State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, of the second part, Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and gravel Calhoun street, from the Toledo Wabash and Western Rail Way, to the South limits of the City of Fort-Wayne, at [illegible] feet wide [illegible]:

From the T.W. & W.R.W. to Highland street for graveling	per lineal foot	83 cents
" " " " " grading	" cubic yard	31 "
" Highland street " Dawson " " graveling	" lineal foot	83 "
" " " " " grading	" cubic yard	31 "

In Testimony Whereof,

Five Cent Revenue Stamp

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

SEAL

SEAL

City Civil Engineer.

SPECIFICATIONS.

For grading and gravelling Calhoun Street- from the T. W. & W. R.W. to the South limits of the City.

feet

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents,

Witness,

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[illegible] on east of 10 Mets. Side walk.
[illegible] 40 feet-@ 73¢ = $29,50 Original Plat.

[illegible] Common Council

Gentlemen:

[illegible] have in compliance with [illegible] a Brick sidewalk to be constructed in front of the [illegible] to said [illegible]

[illegible] as in grade [illegible]

We have this day examined the [illegible] and find [illegible] but with standing our [illegible]

Chas. W. Rosenthal
Wm. H. Meyers
[illegible] Woodworth,
Board of Health

[illegible]

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

We would respectfully suggest [illegible] passed by your Hon. Body, prohibiting the keeping of [illegible] within the City limits; the stench therefrom all over the [illegible] prohibit- [illegible] within [illegible] complaint has been made to [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]
Board of Health

[illegible] Underhill and Wilson (4) Nays [illegible] So the rules were suspended
Ordinance read a second time.

An Ordinance (No. 1) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Webster street from Chicago street to Jefferson street On motion of Mr. Tagtmeyer the rules were suspended to hear the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were [illegible], Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (14) Nays [illegible]. So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time.

Councilman Underhill offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the City Attorney be instructed to prepare an Ordinance, and present to the next regular meeting of the City Council, providing for the opening of a ten foot alley, rear of Lots on the North side of Wall street in accordance with petition of property holders on said street.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wilson Offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the Chief of Police is hereby directed to report to the Common Council the reason why the members of the police force have failed to report to the City Attorney and Mayor the violations of Chapter 19 of the Revised Ordinances of the City, as required to do by the 14th Section of said Chapter
Also, that the City Marshal be directed to report why he has failed to comply with the provisions of the same chapter
Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Tagtmeyer Offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and is hereby directed to collect from N. T. Rue owner of the East 40 feet of Lot Numbered 96, Original Plat to City of Fort Wayne, the sum of $29.50 for construction of brick sidewalk fronting said lot.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tagtmeyer Offered the following resolutions:-
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby instructed to notify the owners of Lots Numbered 6-7-8-9 & 10, Rockhills addition; and lots fronting South side block 15 Ewing's add and lots 6-5-4-3-2-1 block 14 Ewing's addition to bring the sidewalks fronting same on south side to proper grade, and construct a good gravel walk, and on failure of owners to comply with said notice within 10 days after receiving notice, the said

work shall be done by said Street Commissioner at expense of said property holders.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to make a survey from Douglas Street, on the West side of Lots Numbered 50-49-48-47 46-45-44-43-42 & 41 Bowsercille, and on the East side of Out Lot No. 5, Sec 2, T 30 - R. 12 E., and Lots 6-5-4-3-2 & 1 Barthold's addition, to High Street, for the purpose of locating an alley between said points, along said described property and that the City Attorney be instructed forthwith to carry the meaning of this resolution into effect.

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Tagtmeyer Offered the following resolution:

Resolved, The the Committee on Gas be and are hereby instructed to have a gas light-lamp erected ~~at the~~ at the foot of the stairs leading into the Council Chamber Hall which shall be lit during nights when there is a meeting held in the said Council Chamber.

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Hemmer Offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and he is hereby instructed to construct plank crossings over the alley ways on the North side of Buchanan street from Lafayette to Hanna street,

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Broadway offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Diedrich Meyers and David Robison, Saloonmen be allowed Two(2) Dollars each, extra compensation for scrubbing and cleaning the calaboose,

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Carier Offered the following:-

Be it Resolved,- By the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, that the City Civil Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to establish the grade of Gay street from Jones street to the South line of Bass and Hannas addition

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tagtmeyer Offered the following:-

Resolved,- That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 20 days notice to owners of property bordering on Brackenridge street from Webster street to the west line of Brackenridge's addition to grade and plank the side walks bordering thereon. Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved,- That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 20 days notice to owners of Lot No 13 in Sturgis Add^n to grade and plank the sidewalk bordering on said lot on George street, from Griffith street to the west line of Fairfield Avenue.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 20 days notice to owners of Lot No 16, in G. W Ewings Addition to grade and plank sidewalk bordering on said lot on Fairfield Avenue.

Which resolution was adopted.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to Grade to a width of 18 feet, Pave with brick to a width of 8 feet, [illegible] Stone curbing, on the crosswalks on both sides of [illegible] and Street from Harrison street to Barden street, were opened and read as follows:

To the Mayor & Common Council,
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish [illegible] and do the above work, according to the specifications of the City Civil Engineer and for the prices set forth:

	Walker, Lindsay & Co						Walker, Lindsay & Co					
	For Grading Lineal Foot		For Paving per Lineal Foot		For Curbing Each		For grading Paving per Lineal Foot		For Curbing per Lineal Foot		Round Corners, Each.	
	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts
[illegible] Harrison		79		75	1	30		61		63	6	00
" Harrison " Fairfield		"		"				"		"		
" Fairfield " Webster		"						"		"		
" Webster " Calhoun		"						"		"		
" Calhoun " Lafayette		"		"				"		"		
" Lafayette " Clinton		"		"				"		"		
" Clinton " Wells		"		"				"		"		
" Wells " Webster		"		"				"		"		
" Webster " Webster		"		"				"		"		
" Webster " Griffith		75		"				"		"		
" Griffith " Fulton		"		"				"		"		
" Fulton " Broadway		"		"				"		"		
" Broadway " Jackson		"		"				"		"		
" Jackson " Union		"		"				"		"		
" Union " Fackler		"		"				"		"		
" Fackler " College		"		"				"		"		
" College " Barden		"		"				"		"		

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[illegible]	Tracks	54	W. H Brown		Tracks	42	
[illegible]	"	30	E Weber		"	13	50
[illegible]	"	24	John Brown		"	35	25
[illegible]		24	W. B. Fisher	Fin. 7d ✓	Com Duties	19	25
[illegible]		24	Geo H Wilson	" 5" ✓	"	13	75
[illegible]		23	Jno W. Bull	" 3" ✓	"	8	25
[illegible]		20	W Tagtmeyer	Gas, 3" ✓	"	8	25
[illegible]	"	24	J. B. Morgan	" 3" ✓	"	8	25
[illegible]	"	20	A. H Cavier	" 3" ✓	"	8	25
[illegible]		24	N. Jahn		Fire Dept	2	50
[illegible]		24	[illegible]		"	1	
[illegible]		24	Geo. Spinner		"	2	
[illegible]		24	Jos. Hubrey		"	2	
[illegible]	"	24	Thos Sharp		"	2	
[illegible]	"	10	Geo Link		"	22	05
[illegible]	"	4	Jos. Stratton		"	23	42
[illegible]	"	24	W. S. Edsall		Genl Exp.	14	
[illegible]	"	82	B. W. Rambo		"	1	10
[illegible]	"	56	G. Bulanger		"	3	50
[illegible]	"	18	R D. Dumyea	Marshal	Printing 1000		
[illegible]		102	"	Atty	" 100.00		
Chas Burk		29 50	"	C C P.	" 16	140	40
D. M Kendry		27	A Reiling		Police	5	25
M. Kelly		12 50	Cochrane & Humphreys		Public Schls	1000	

City Teams Cr. $8 00

No further business Council adjourned to council in course.

Read, approved and signed
in open Council this 22d day of Aug, 1871

Attest,
Sam P Freeman
City Clerk

Y. P. Randall
Mayor.

Present

Min read

Petn for new

Tax

Granted

Com appointed

Mr Karjs rea

for Improvement

Berry St contract

Toopen Eas

Lodge &

Toopen Hanover

St

Contracting order

Widen Broadway

R. R Repair

bridge

Street pick up
Lighting Ord.

Ordinance amending
Ordinance

Ordinance providing
Vacating Ordinance
Bonds

Report of Committee on Streets,

Report of Committee on Streets,

Report of Committee on Sewer Assessments

Report of Committee on Sewer Assessments on Holman St-

[illegible]

Owner's names	Description	No. of Lot	For Sewer	For Connections	[illegible]	Total	Remarks
George & Elizabeth Doerfler	The South [illegible] Hamilton [illegible]		3 27	3 00		6 27	Hamilton
M[illegible] & Joseph J. Liefels	North [illegible] Hamil[illegible] Ten [illegible]						
Anna & Wm Malion		30	41 68	1 [illegible]		4 [illegible]	
James Breen		29	41 68	1 [illegible]		4 [illegible]	
Krudop & Moellering		28	41 68	[illegible]		4 [illegible]	
Michael Hodekin		27	41 68	1 [illegible]		4 [illegible]	
Simon Marks	East ½	26	21 54	00		21 54	
Peter Schwegel	West ½	[illegible]	21 54	00		21 54	
Emanuel Bostick	[illegible] ½	25	44 50	1 [illegible]		4 [illegible]	
Eva Sprague	North [illegible]	"					
Pittsburgh Fort Wayne and Chicago Rail Road Company.	The [illegible] and bounded on the [illegible] Hamilton [illegible] Payell [illegible] by the T. W. [illegible] on the West by Chester [illegible] to Hamilton		588 70	31 26	1.5[illegible]	735 71	
City of Fort [illegible]	[illegible]		457 02	34 31	[illegible]	532 32	

[illegible] shall [illegible] assessed in [illegible] and [illegible] made out [illegible] by Contractor as per Council and Estimate and shall [illegible] by [illegible] amount due said Contractor [illegible] amount passed against [illegible] the Ordinance amount already paid on Approximate Estimate and [illegible] Aug 8th 1871. See [illegible] 301, [illegible] Book.

Committee on Sewer Assessments to be submitted [illegible] Meeting

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen:— [illegible]

Committee on Sewers

on

Fourth Ward

[illegible] report that they have examined the [illegible] sewer recently constructed by John H. Langohr in Pearl [illegible] from Fourth street to Calhoun street, and find that the [illegible] is the only [illegible] [illegible] and that the [illegible] description

[illegible]

[illegible]	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Foot	Price per Foot Junction	Price per Foot Sewer	Total	Petition
John A. Colerick	The S.W 10x100 ft. of	56	10	2 00	12 18	14 18	
Jacob Kline	" W. 10 ft. of the E 20 ft of	"	10	2 00	12 18	14 18	"
Charles W Sanders	" Mid 20 " "	"	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
Martin Perckel	" W " " "	"	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
Bernard Trentman	" E " " "	55	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
Andrew Mayer	" Mid " " "	"	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
Michael Hedekin	" W. 20 " "	"	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
Louis Traub	" E 12½ " "	54	12	2 00	15 22	17 22	"
John Raab	" 18½ ft west of the E. 12½ ft of	"	18½	2 00	22 52	24 52	"
John & Mary Bowen	" 19 ft E. of W 10 ft. of	"	19	2 00	23 14	25 14	"
[illegible] John Lintz	" W. 10 ft of	"	10	2 00	12 18	14 18	"
do do do	" E 30 " "	53	30	2 00	36 54	38 54	"
Est. of Moses Jenkinson	" " S/2 of the W/2 of	"	15	2 00	18 27	20 27	"
Dessauer Trauerman & Wolf	" S. 30 ft of the W 15 ft of	"	15	2 00	18 27	20 27	"
	" N. 40 " " " " 20 " "	75	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
[illegible] mas Sweeny	" E " " "	75	40	4 00	48 72	52 72	"
do do		74	60	6 00	73 08	79 08	"
Henry Manning	The W. 20 ft of	73	20	2 00	24 36	26 36	"
John H. Bass	" E. 40 "	"	40	2 00	48 72	50 72	"
George Fox	" W 20 " "	72	20	2	24 36	26 36	"
Est. of Peter Ohneck	" Mid 20 " "	"	20	2	24 36	26 36	"
Henry Baker	" E 20	"	20	2	24 36	26 36	"
City of Fort Wayne	Crossing of Alley		5		12 18	12 18	

[illegible] Assessment was approved by the Council and parties [illegible] the Contractor in the Contract and Estimate, and Clerk [illegible] to draw in their orders to the Contractor, John H. Langohr [illegible] against the City.

Mr. [illegible] Will offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed forthwith,

Report & Estimate of C. E. on Grading & paving Sidewalks on Wayne st from Griffith st to Fulton st.

[illegible] 39 cents per lineal foot for the curbing and [illegible] cents [illegible] for the grading and paving

Owners Names	Description	Num. Lots			Assessment- For Curbing		For Grading & Paving		Total		Addition
Henry P Ayres		12	23	50	29	50	35		64	50	[illegible]
Catherine Bloomhuff		11	"	50	29	50	35		64	50	"
" "		10	"	55	32	45	38	50	[illegible]		"
Charlotte A Taber		9	"	55	32	45	38	50	70	95	"
" " "		7	4	50	29	50	35		64	50	"
Addison Hollzworth	The East 21 feet of	8	"	21	12	39	14	70	27	09	"
Abby F Strickland	" West 29 " "	"	"	29	17	11	20	30	37	41	"
Simon Mannock		1	26	50	29	50	35		64	50	"
Kerr Murray		2	"	50	29	50	—	—	29	50	"
John Hamilton		3	"	55	32	45	—	—	32	45	"
Margaret & James St. Eakins		4	"	55	32	45	38	50	70	95	"
William H. Meyers		5	"	50	29	50	—	—	29	50	"
Margaret Falls		7	"	50	29	50	—	—	29	50	"

[illegible]

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-

C.C.E. Report on Pearl Alley Sewer

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council:-

Gentlemen:-

The 18 inch crock sewer in the alley between Main and Columbia streets from Clinton street to Calhoun street, heretofore let by contract to John W. Langohr has been completed according to contract to a point 305-

C. E. Brackenridge Report

west of Clinton street. There being no necessity for extending it beyond that point I ordered the work suspended.

The total cost of said sewer at contract prices is as follows:-

305	lineal feet of sewer	@ $1.80	$549.00
3	Man holes	" 16.00	48.00
25	Junctions	" 2.00	50.00
	Total amount due Contractor		$647.00

Respectfully submitted
C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was received and placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:-
Gentlemen:-

C. E. Brackenridge Map.

I respectfully represent to your Hon. Body, that I have published a new and complete map of the city, showing the new Rail Road connections, extension of City limits, Ward Boundaries, etc. etc. The want of a map of this kind has long been felt, both by business men and public offices. Its publication has been attended by considerable expense and trouble, and so far, the subscriptions have not been sufficient to cover the cost. I would therefore ask your Honorable Body to subscribe for ten (10) copies each of the mounted and unmounted. The price of the mounted copies being Eight ($8) Dollars each, and of the unmounted One ($1) Dollar each. This will furnish each Department of the City with a duplicate copy to supply the place of such as may be destroyed or lost.

Very Respectfully
C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which proposition was accepted and Clerk authorized to purchase the maps mounted and unmounted for the different departments of the city.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-
To the Hon Mayor and Common Council:
Gentlemen:-

The double ring egg shaped brick sewer on Holman street from Barr street to Lafayette street heretofore let by contract to Messrs Kindop and Moelling has been completed according to the terms of said contract. The total cost of said work at contract prices for sewer ~~and fill~~ and filling is $1682.12

Reports from C.C.E.

Respectfully submitted
C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was recd and ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

Gentlemen:-

On McKay's Berry St Contract

I respectfully report that Neil McKay, to whom the contract was awarded for grading and graveling Berry street, from Calhoun street to Broadway, has refused to continue said work, according to the terms of his contract and I have suspended the same and await instructions from your Honorable Body in reference thereto.

Respectfully submitted.
C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was recd and ordered placed on file.

On Bill of Langohr for cleaning Holman St Sewer

City Civil Engineer submitted the following bill in favor of Jno W Langohr for cleaning the Holman Street Sewer.

City of Fort Wayne

To John W. Langohr Dr.

To clearing out the Holman street sewer from Barr street to Clinton st, under the P. F. W. & C. R. W shops ~~$7.00~~

19½ days work	@	$4.00	78.00
5 " "	"	2.	10.00
1 " " Team			4.00 $92.00

Certified Correct-
C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was accepted and Clerk instructed to pay in City Orders, the amount above mentioned.

On Bill of Langohr for curbing Side walks on Wayne

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Approximate Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for curbing sidewalks on Wayne street, from Calhoun street to Van Buren street.

To curbing & crossings from Calhoun to Jackson inclusive

486 Lineal feet	@ 63¢		$306.18
27 Round corners	" $6.00		162.00 $468.18

Certified Correct-
C. E. Brackenridge, C. C. E.

Which First Approximate Estimate was allowed, and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor amount above mentioned.

Reports from

On Bill of Waldo

for catch basin

City Civil Engineer submitted the following bill in favor of Wm Waldo for constructing Catch Basin at East end of Holman sheet Sewer.

To furnishing and constructing Catch Basin and Culvert connections at the East end of the Holman street Sewer

2460 feet of Oak timber	@	$7.00	$41.82
125 lbs " 6# Spikes			6.25
Drayage			.70
5 1/4 Days work	@	$4.00	21.00
8 1/2 " "	"	3.00	25.50 $95.27

I certify the above correct and the work done according to order.

C. B. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which bill was allowed and Clerk instructed to pay Mr. Waldo, the amount certified by the Engineer.

Contract of

Neil McKay for Side

walks on

Ewing

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract Bond and Specifications of Neil McKay, for grading and paving the Side walks on Ewing street.

CONTRACT

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 24th day July 1871, by and between Neil McKay of the County of Allen, State of Indiana, of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Witnesseth, That the party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade to a width of ten feet and pave with brick to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street, from George street to Main street for the following prices:—

For grading, per cubic yard, from George street to Lewis street thirty four cents

"	"	"	"	"	"	Lewis	"	Jefferson " thirty-four "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Jefferson	"	Washington " Thirty four "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Washington	"	Wayne " Thirty-four "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Wayne	"	Berry " Thirty four "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Berry	"	Main " Thirty four "
"	Paving	"	Lineal	foot	"	George	"	Lewis " Forty seven "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Lewis	"	Washington " Forty seven "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Jefferson	"	Washington " Forty seven "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Washington	"	Wayne " Forty seven "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Wayne	"	Berry " Forty seven "
"	"	"	"	"	"	Berry	"	Main " Forty seven "

Said amount to be collected by the said party at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering and abutting on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof, to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to

Contract continued

labor employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The Contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the City Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the day of 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

Neil McKay. SEAL

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Allen Zollars,
City Attorney.

PROPOSAL.

Proposal to Contract

To grade to a width of ten feet, and pave with brick, to a width of five feet, the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street, from George Street to Main street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:— The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work, according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

					Per Running Foot Both Sides	Per Lineal Foot
From	George	street, to	Lewis	street		
"	Lewis	" "	Jefferson	"		
"	Jefferson	" "	Washington	"		
"	Washington	" "	Wayne	"		
"	Wayne	" "	Berry	"		
"	Berry	" "	Main	"		

Neil McKay, Contractor

Fort Wayne, July 11th 1871.

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:- If you award to Neil McKay, the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful

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performance of his contract to do said work according to the Specifications.

A. J. Emerick

S. Bloomhuff.

Specifications

SPECIFICATIONS.

For grading to a width of ten (10) feet and paving to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street, from the [illegible] feet to Main street.

GRADING.

The walks must be graded to a width of ten (10) feet according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, the outside to be sloped to the bottom of the gutters in the ratio of 1 to 1. The grading will be [illegible] to the grade of Excavation. All surplus material excavated, i.e., not required for filling, shall be deposited at such point not to exceed the distance of [illegible] from the work as directed by the C. E. Engineer.

PAVING.

The brick pavement will be five feet wide [illegible] graded, crowned and hard burned paving brick of uniform kind and size. To be laid on a bed of clean course sand or fine gravel, free from dirt, not less than Eight inches deep, which must be solidly rolled and saturated before the brick are laid.

The sides of the pavement to be curbed with brick set on end, which will be of the same [illegible] and to be laid on a grade one inch below that of the pavement.

When the pavement is [illegible] inspected by the C. C. Engineer or his assistant it will be well rolled and covered with a coating of clean sharp sand 1/4 of an inch deep.

Said paving will be estimated by the lineal foot and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, material and excavation for ballast for the five feet in width.

All of said work will be commenced and carried on at such time and in such places as the City Civil Engineer may direct, and be completed to his entire satisfaction on or before the first day of October 1871.

Section One (1), Chapter Eight (8) of the Revised ordinances of the city of Fort Wayne is hereby incorporated into and made a part of these specifications.

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we Neil McKay, Samuel H. Bloomhuff and A. J. Emerick of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the

Contract

Six Hundred Dollars, the Payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Neil McKay, shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 24th day of July 1871, with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and perform all the covenants and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; - otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Neil McKay. SEAL

[illegible] SEAL

[illegible] SEAL

Which Contract Bond and Specifications were approved, and Clerk ordered to [illegible] same.

Councilman Tower offered the following resolution

Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed to furnish to Council an Estimate in favor of Neil McKay for grading and paving the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing Street from Main Street to Berry Street.

In accordance with above instructions C. C. Engineer submitted the following First Estimate in favor of Neil McKay for grading and paving the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing Street, from Main to Berry Street, made @ 34 cents per cubic yard for the grading and [illegible] cents per lineal foot for the paving.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment for Grading	for Paving	Total	
Mrs Green		6	19	150	3 40	70 50	73 90	[illegible]
Samuel McElfatrick		1	18	150	3 40	70 50	73 9	

I Certify that the above Estimate is Correct, and made in accordance with the order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved August 22 1871. C. D. Brackenridge.

Attest Dan'l F. Freeman City Clerk. C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and said Estimate.

Chief Engineer submitted the following:

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

[illegible] respectfully recommend the purchase of One Thousand feet of Rubber Hose, as I deem it necessary for the use of the Fire Department. I would suggest the purchase of first class hose, as the distance we have to force water requires the best hose, I also recommend the purchase of six teen coats and caps of rubber, for the use of the Department.

Respectfully,
Thos. Mannix
Chief Engineer.

[illegible] referred to Com. on Fire Department.

City Clerk presented 2 affidavits of John W. Langohr contractor for grading paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Harrison street to Webster Street and praying that Precepts be issued against
Lot No 480 Hannas Add, owned by Anton Gocke to secure the sum of $ 77.40
" " 484 " " " " " Peter Kiser " " " " " 77.40

Which affidavits were recd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Clerk presented two (2) affidavits of John W. Langohr, contractor for constructing an 18 inch Crock Sewer on Pearl street, from the East line of Ewing street to the Harrison street Sewer, and praying that precepts be issued against-
35 ft of Lot 5, Blk 10 Ewing's Add, owned by William Paul to secure the sum of $ 21.24
" " 6 " 10 " " " " " " " " " " " " 31.75

Which affidavits were recd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

The following report was recd from the City Marshal:-
To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned would represent to your Hon. Body, that has visited the various slaughter houses and yards in Butcher's Addition and found the same in good condition: the yards were clean and had lime scattered all around the ground.- No offensive stench arises therefrom.

Respectfully submitted
Charles Ufleger
City Marshal

Which report was received and placed on file.

City Marshal submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

At the last regular session of the Common Council, I was asked by said Council to report why I had failed to report to City Attorney certain violations. Said violations were not reported by either of my predecessors, and the matter had been before the higher courts, and as I am informed not fully acted upon yet by said courts, I did not deem it necessary. I have reported several nusances, but as yet, nothing has been done to abate same. I refer same particularly to the condition of the Mayer Houseyrees,

Respectfully,
Charles Ellenwood
City Marshal

Which report was received and ordered placed on file.

The following report was received from the Street Commissioner as the cost of Plank Sidewalks constructed by order of Common Council;
Thomas W. Sweeney Lot 8. 47½ feet - $14.25 Bandorff & Ayres. Add.

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

I have in compliance with your orders caused plank sidewalks to be constructed in front of the above described property the cost of which is set opposite to said description.

B. L. R. Willcard
Street Commissioner

I Certify that the above walk has been constructed according to grade.

C. T. Brackenridge
Co. Sur. Co.

Which report was recd and placed on file.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalk on the East side of Lafayette street to the North side of Lot 109 in Lasalles Addition to the city of Fort Wayne was read a third time. On motion of Mr. Gushorn the Ordinance was referred to Committee on Streets.

An Ordinance (H.I.) To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Webster street, from Chicago street to Jefferson street was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Covier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shipock, Tower, Brenneman, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Waddington & Wilson (15) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to Grade and Plank the Sidewalks on the South Side of Wallace Street from Calhoun street to Lafayette street was read a third time, the Question being shall the Ordinance pass? those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trem-mel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (14) Nays, (none,) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to Grade and Plank the alley between Main and Columbia Street from Calhoun street to Clinton street was introduced by Mr. Carier, and read a first time. On motion of Mr. Carier the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read a second time now; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trem-mel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (15) Nays (none) the rules were suspended, the Ordinance was read a second now; Mr. Carier moved that the rules be suspended a second time for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway Bull Carier Fisher Goshorn Hogan Morgan, Schoeff Stoll Shryock Tower Trimmel Tagtmeyer Underhill Wadington and Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended And Ordinance read a third now. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Bradway, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trimmel, Tagtmeyer Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (16) Nays (none). So the Ordi-nance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) relating to the numbering of Houses was read a first time. Mr. Carier moved that the rules be suspended for the pur-pose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trimmel, Tagtmeyer, Under-hill, Wadington and Wilson (16) Nays (none); so the rules were suspend-ed and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion said Ordinance was referred to Committee on streets with instructions to affix a little thereto and thereunto amend.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open an alley ten feet wide through land owned by Thomas W. Sweeney along the west side of Lot Number One, in Edsall's Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, from the South side of Wall street to the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Rail Road was introduced and read a first time. Mr. Goshorn moved that the rules be suspended, for the

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purpose of hearing the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (16) Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open an alley ten feet wide, parallel with and adjoining the land owned by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Rail Way Company, as right of way, and across the North end of Lots Numbered One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight, Nine and Ten, in Edsalls Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, and across the North side of Lot Numbered Eleven, in Walls addetion to the City of Fort-Wayne, to the West line of Hood Street was introduced by the City Attorney, and read a first time Mr Underhill moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Morgan, Hogan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open and extend the alley between W. G. Ewings Administrators Addition and Bonds Sub-Division Out-Lots No. two, in the City of Fort-Wayne, was introduced by Mr. Morgan and read a first time. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington and Wilson (15) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Morgan introduced an Ordinance (H.I.) to widen George Street on the South side of the same from the Western terminus of Brackenridge street to Fairfield Avenue, and read a first time now. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Fisher, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (16) Nays none. So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Stoll offered an Ordinance (H.I.) to widen High Street Eight and one half feet on the South side of the

same, from the West side of Lot Numbered Thirteen in McCulloch's Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, to Lot Number Twelve (12) in the North east corner of Out-lot Numbered Sixteen (16) in G. W. Ewing's Out-lots in said city of Fort Wayne, and read a first time. Mr. Stoll moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Cranz, Fisher, Gosborn, Hagan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Thyock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (15) Nays none,) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Gosborn offered the following resolution

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to clean the Baker street ditch from the Out-let of Baker street sewer as far south as may be necessary drain the sewer.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be and are hereby empowered to take all needful and proper action to carry into effect the resolution of the Council passed at the last meeting August 8th in regard to the enlargement and permanent establishment at Fort Wayne, of shops of the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railway Co, and for this purpose may enter into such arrangement or contract with said company as may be deemed best for the interest and security of the City & the Mayor & City Clerk are authorized, upon the order and request of the Finance Committee to execute for and in the name of the City such orders, deeds bonds bills or other obligations as may be deemed advisable or necessary to procure or effect the conveyance to said Railway Company of the land required as additional shop ground to said company and to secure or effect the payment of the money proposed to be paid as the consideration of the enlargement and permanent maintainance of the shops of said Company at Fort Wayne - provided that the funds or credit of the city shall not be used for the objects expressed in this resolution beyond the Sum of Forty-five Thousand Dollars, and the payment of any interest thereon.

Which resolution was adopted, Mr. Underhill, only, voting in the negative.

Prior to the passage of above resolution Mr. Underhill offered the following amendment

"Resolved, That the matter of the proposed donations to the Toledo Wabash and Western and the Fort Wayne and "Muncy" & Cincinnati Rail Roads, for the purpose purchasing Grounds and Building shops for said Companies be postponed for the purpose of having time to "ascertain" "whether" the City can legally make such donation and that the subject be "refered" to the City "Attorney" with instructions to consult with Judge

Morris and Worden and report their several opinions to the Council at its next regular meeting."

Which amendment on motion of Mr. Morgan was laid on the table. On motion of the same gentlemen the original resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution

Resolution:- That the Finance Committee be and and are hereby empowered to take all needful and proper steps to carry into effect the action of the Council at the last meeting, (August 6th instant,) in regard to the erection and permanent maintainance at Fort Wayne, of the principal shops of the Fort Wayne Muncie and Cincinnati Rail Road Company, and for this purpose may enter into such arrangement or contract with said company as may be deemed for the interest and security of the City, And the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized upon the order or request of the Finance Committee to execute for and in the name of the city such orders, deeds, bonds, bills or other obligations as may be advisable or necessary to secure or effect the payment of the sum of fifteen thousand dollars proposed to be paid by the city in consideration and on condition of such erection and permanent maintainance at Fort Wayne of the principal shops of said Rail Road Company.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Washington offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to lay new tileing leading from the German Lutheran Church to cistern, as the old wooden one is rotten.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier Offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to put crossing at the alley on Clay street, east side, between Madison and Lewis streets.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Schoepf offered the following:-

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be instructed to collect from Thomas W. Turney the sum of $14.25 the cost reported by Street Commissioner for constructing a plank sidewalk on Harrison street opposite Lot No. 8 in Brandriff and Ayres Addition

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved, That 20 days notice be given property holder of Lot No. 13

Sturgis Addition to bring sidewalk to grade and plank the same bordering on George Street, to west-line of Fairfield Avenue; also owner of Lot No. 16 G.W. Ewings Addition from George street to Lavina street, and that the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to construct the same if said property holders fail to comply with said notice at the expiration of the time specified, and charge cost of said work to said owners.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That J. G. Fledderman be granted further time to construct a sidewalk fronting Lot No. . Addition, on Madison Street, as said Fledderman has already made a contract to build on said lot this fall, when said building is completed, he will cheerfully comply with the order for constructing said sidewalk

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Broadway offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby directed to repair and rebuild the culvert on the South Side of Wayne Street, at intersection of University Street, as the said Culvert has not the capacity to carry off the water that accumulates at said point.

On motion above resolution was referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Washington offered the following:-
Resolved, That the Mechanic Fire Company be permitted to take their Engine and attend the Tournament at Norwalk.

Councilman Washington offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That as many of the property owners on Montgomery Street, as desire be permitted to put down Brick for sidewalks, instead of plank.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Washington offered the following:-
Resolved, That Rondorf and Moellering be allowed $ 364.50 for each of the two Fire cisterns yet to be built in the 7th Ward.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-
Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that a sufficient appropriation be made for the purchase of a three seated spring wagon for the use of the City authorities and different committees when on duty, the same being intended to save expenses for Committees and otherwise thus enabling them to perform their

to perform their labor by charging only for one day's service instead of more as has been often the case.

Which resolution, on motion was referred to Common Jniance.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify and request the Fort Wayne Gas. Company to erect a Lamp Post at the north west corner of Lafayette and Montgomery streets.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bull offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets. in connection with the C. E. Engineer, be instructed to receive proposals to complete the grading and graveling of West Berry Street, to be let to the lowest responsible bidder, subject to the approval of the Council at its next meeting.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr. Taylor moved to reconsider the vote given August 4th 1871, ordering Sidewalks to be constructed on the South side of Pearl street between Griffith and Broadway, .

Which motion prevailed and the vote was re-considered.

On motion of Mr. Morgan, the resolution ordering said work was laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Carier Committee on Education were instructed to make the necessary repairs on the 9th Ward School House.

On motion of Mr. Bradway, Committee on Streets, to act in conjunction with C. E. Engineer were instructed to make enquiries as to cost of Roller, for street purposes.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by City Civil Engineer to Grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue, to Clay Street. were opened and read in these words and figures to-wit:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

From Fairfield Avenue.
To Oakley Street

	For Grading per Cubic Yard.	For Planking per Lineal Foot
J. W. Langohr.	.32¢	.30¢
[illegible]	.30	.33
[illegible]	29	27½
[illegible]	27½	28

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets, with instructions to examine and compare same and report to this Council now sitting, the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised by City Civil Engineer, to grade & plank the Sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Barr Street to Lafayette Street, and on the South side said Street from Lafayette Street to Hanna Street, and read as follows; to wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council:-

Gentlemen:-

The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material and do the above work according to the specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

	Patrick Doyle.		J. W. Langohr		C. W. Lindlag & Co		
	For Grading per Cubic Yard.	For Planking Per Lineal Foot	For Grading per Cubic Yard.	FOR Planking Per Lineal Foot	For Grading Per Cubic Yard.	For Planking Per lineal Foot	
						Oak	Pine
From Barr Street to Lafayette Street.	.29¢	.42¢	.32¢	.44¢	.34¢	.53¢	.55¢
" Lafayette " " Clay "	.29¢	.42¢	"	"	"	"	
" Clay " " Monroe "	.29¢	.42¢	"	"	"	"	
" Monroe " " Hanna "	.29¢	.42¢	"	"	.36¢	.54	.53¢

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the above several bids and report to this council now sitting, the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street, from Hanna Street to Francis Street, were opened and read in these words and figures, to-wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and meterial, and do the above work according to the specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

C.W. Lindlay & Co.,	.35d	.26c
J. W. Langohr.	.32d	.30d

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare same and report to this Council now sitting, the lowest and best bidder.

Mr. Washington called up the bill of W. H. Chamberlain for repairing roof of Hope Hose House. Considerable debating took place relative to the matter but no definite action was had on the bill.

Bills being in order the first one taken up was that C. Mill and Co., for white lead and medicines furnished sufferers at the explosion at Boltz's Store on the night of June 7th, '71, for $40.75 After the reading of said bill, it was, on motion of Mr. Bindeman laid on the table.

City Clerk presented bill of Mike Kelliher for writing in Clerk's office, amounting to $12.50 for two weeks service. In explanation, the Clerk stated that it was an impossible for him to perform all the writing in said office, and that he had engaged said Kelliher for the year at said price for every two weeks, which would be a trifle over $300. per annum, and Clerk further stated that he would not ask for extra compensation for any writing that he would do.

On motion of Mr. Morgan Clerk was allowed the services of said Kelliher and bill ordered to be paid

The following bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	54	Cor. Cull	Street	24
Henry J. Taylor	"	30	John Lentz	"	23
David Burns	"	24	Henry Shoppert	"	24
John Stiers	"	24	Henry Stier	"	24
Jno. P. Waters	"	24	John Huggins	"	22
Jacob Geise	"	24	John Lynch	"	24
George Mayers	"	22	Isaac Kessel	"	4
Nelson Thompson,	"	36	[illegible]	"	15
Emil Kessel	"	36	[illegible]	"	01

Aug 27 "

[illegible]	[illegible]	"	Wm Washington	4 days ✓		Com Duties		
[illegible]	"	"	B.H Tower	30 ✓	✓	"	60	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	J.W. Bull	17 ✓	✓	"	34	
[illegible]	"	[illegible]	L Dessauer	7 "	✓	"	14	
[illegible]	"	25	J.B. Morgan	31 ✓	✓	"	62	
[illegible]	"	"	S.T Hanna	16 ✓		"	32	
[illegible]	"	"	P.S. Underhill	18 ✓		"	36	
[illegible]	"	"	Geo Wilson	24 ✓		"	48	
[illegible]	"	"	Tim Hogan	26 ✓	✓	"	52	
[illegible]	"	"	Jno Schoh	27 ✓	✓	"	54	
[illegible]	"	"	J.S. Goshorn	14 ✓		"	28	
[illegible]	"	9	Conrad Tremmel	15 ✓		"	30	
[illegible]	"	12 31	O.F. Bradway	31 ✓			62	
[illegible]	"	14 29	W.B. Fisher	30 ✓		"	60	
[illegible]	"	23 30	Saml Shryock	28 ✓		"	56	
[illegible]	Fire Dept	21	Henry Stoll	30 ✓		"	60	
[illegible]	"	"	J.S. Goshorn,	Sewerage ✓	✓	"	27	50
[illegible]	"	2	Henry Stoll	" ✓	✓	"	5	50
[illegible]	"	3	W Taglmeyer	Sewerage ✓	✓	"	5	50
[illegible]	"	[illegible]	A.H Carter	" ✓	✓	"	5	50
[illegible]	Fire Dept	12 31	T Hogan	Sewerage ✓	✓	"	24	75
[illegible]	Police	[illegible]	J.B. Morgan	"	✓	✓	24.	75
[illegible]	"	12 31	T Hogan	Streets ✓	✓	"	35.	75

Board of Equalization for year

City Treas. C.

No further business Council adjourned to Council in course.

Read, Approved and Signed in open Council, this 12th day of Sept. 1871,

Attest

Sam. P. Freeman
Cl. C.

B. McTower
President pro-tem.

CITY - FORTWAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment present Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Hoffee, Stoll, Strycker, Tower, Trennel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) Absent; His Honor, Mayor Randall, (on account of illness) and Councilmen Bull Fisher and Wadington.

Appt of Chairman pro tem

On motion of Mr. Carier, Mr. Tower was called to the chair to preside over the Council.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

Petitions from J.C. O'Rourke et. al to grand alley

Petition received from J. C. O'Rourke and 5 other property holders on Ewing and McClellan streets praying that the alley running North and South from Lewis to Brackenridge streets between Ewing and McClellan streets be gravelled.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

A.J. Emerick to extend Griffith St Sewer

Petition from A.J. Emerick received praying that Griffith street Sewer be constructed through lot of petitioner to connect with the sewer under the canal, and proposing to cover the same with dirt so as to preclude any smell arising therefrom at expense of petitioner, if the sewer is extended at once. Which petition was recd to Com on Sewers with power to act.

Chas Lehman et al for sewer in alley

Petition recd from Chas Lehman praying that a 12 inch crock sewer be constructed in alley running East & West between Clay and Lafayette streets North of Washington to such point as the C. E. Engineer shall deem necessary.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Sewers

Chr Deerstein et al for Ord. to grade & plank S.W. on Fairfield Ave & Geo St.

Petition recd from Chr. Deerstein & Michael Heimbert owners respectively, of Lots No. 16 & the W 10 ft Lot 18 G. W. Ewing's praying that an Ordinance be passed to grade and plank the sidewalks on the West side of Fairfield Avenue, from George street to the T. W. & W. R.W. track; and also on George street from Fairfield Avenue to Broadway.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

W Dammeyer et al for permission to Cobblestick

Petition received from Wm Dammeyer and Chr. Koch, owners of Lots 30 & 38 Brackenridge Add respectively, praying for permission to put down brick instead of plank sidewalks on Webster street.

Petitions &c.

On motion, the prayer of the above petition was granted.

Nancy A Hartman for compensation

Petition received from Nancy A. Hartman owner of Lots Numbered 59-60 & South half of 61 Rockhill & Nelson's Addition representing that by reason of City Authorities excavating adjacent to said lots her property was seriously injured; the well and garden being dry continually, and she therefore prays that the City purchase her said lots or give her a reasonable compensation for damages received.

On motion the above petition was refered to Com. on Streets.

L. Cerke protesting against planking S. Wm on Wallace St.

Petition recd from L. Cerke protesting against putting down plank sidewalks on Wallace street, ~~de~~ representing that two years since he put down gravel walks, He however prayed that he might be permitted to put down brick if his lots were not to be exempted.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

L.H. & J.H. Cerke for reduction of assessment upon property destroyed by fire.

Petition recd from L.H. & J.H. Cerke, praying that certain property partially destroyed by fire in 1871, might be exempted from a reasonable amount of assessment for taxes for the present year.

Which petition was on motion laid on the table.

W.H. Meyers to lay his own Sidewalk

Petition recd from W.H. Myers, praying for permission lay down at his own expense, a pine plank sidewalk instead of having same put down of oak by contractor, opposite Lot No 37 Bakers Add. on Webster street Said walk to be 6 feet wide.

A motion was offered to lay said petition on the table. Vote and nation Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Carier Morgan & Tagtmeyer (3) Nays. Bradway, Wessner, Goshorn, Kanna, Keogan, Schoff, Stroll, Shryock, Trennirel. & Wilson (10). So the petition was not laid on the table. On motion of Mr. Bradway the petition was referred to City Civil Engineer.

H. Hartwell, et al against building a Walk on Webster, this year

Petition recd from Richard Hartwell praying that the proposed improvement of planking the Sidewalks on Webster street be deferred until next season, when they would cheerfully comply with the ordinance.

On motion the prayer of the petitioners was granted.

On motion of Mr. Carier the Clerk called the ayes and nays. Vote Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Wessner, Goshorn, Keogan, Schoff, Stroll, Shryock, Trennirel, Underhill

Petitions from

and. Wilson (9) Nays, Bradway, Carier, Hanna, Morgan and Tagtmeyer. (5).

Westmumb et al to abate nuisance

Petition recd from H. C. J. Westmumb and 72 other property holders praying that a pond or basin South of University Street and North of East Wayne Street, property of Tomlinson & Schneider, be filled up as said pond or basin is a nuisance.

Appended to the petition, were the names of the Board of Health.

On motion the prayer of the petition was granted and clerk instructed to give property holders legal notice to abate nuisance

same parties to extend Wayne st.

Petition recd from H. C. J. Westmumb and 74 others praying that an Ordinance be passed to open and extend Wayne street East to the City limits

Which prayer of petitioners was granted and City Attorney instructed to draw up an Ordinance carrying out the prayer of petition.

Directors of Street R. R. Co. for right of way through certain streets

The following petition was received from the Directors of the Citizen's Street Rail Road Company, reading in these words and figures to-wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Gentlemen

The undersigned on behalf of the Citizens Street Railroad Company represent-s. that the said Company has been organized under the laws of the state of Indiana, for the purpose of constructing and operating a street-Railroad in the City of Fort Wayne & Suburbs- that the amount subscribed is $15,000- that that sum is, in the opinion of the corporation sufficient to authorize the Commencement of the work that the route, ~~of~~ the proposed road so far as the same has been located and determined upon by the Company is as follows- Commencing at the intersection of Main & Calhoun st-s- then South along Calhoun street to the intersection of Creighton Avenue- then West along Creighton Avenue to Broadway- also beginning at the intersection of Calhoun and Wallace street and running

thence East to the northern intersection of Wallace and Lafayette street - thence South along Lafayette - Street to the southern intersection of Wallace and Lafayette street - thence East along Wallace to Hanna street;

It is proposed to extend said Railroad to other parts of said City and Suburbs as rapidly as the means of the Company will permit

The undersigned therefore act on behalf of said Company that permission be granted to said Company to use the streets & crossings included in the above description for the above mentioned purpose

Your petitioners further represent that in view of the lateness of the season, they would respectfully ask the immediate attention of your Honorable body to the request herein Contained.

Signed

J H Bass
S. T. Hanna
S. B. Bond
Henry M Williams
R J Taylor

Attest -
J. E. Burstin
Secy

On motion, the prayer of the petition was granted.

Richardson on Holly Water Works

On motion of Mr Bradway, Mr. Richardson representing the firm of Gaylor Bro., of Cincinnati, was introduced, and addressed the Council relative to the Holly Water Works. On behalf of the firm he represented he submitted a proposition to build said Works having a capacity of 2,000,000 gallons of Water every 24 hours, sufficient for a population of 50,000 inhabitants with 9½ miles of pipe, 65 hydrants and all necessary buildings with everything complete for the sum of $150,000 in Corporation Bonds to run 20 years bearing 6 percent interest.

Mr. Bradway moved that a committee of 5 be appointed to confer with Mr. Richardson relating to the matter, which motion prevailed The Chairman pro tem, appointed Mr Bradway, which gentleman declined to serve, as was also the case with Mr. Vanderbilt, Messrs Hanna Morgan and Taylor Meyer

Reports of Com on Sts. members of the Council, and Bass and Col. McMiece citizens were appointed on said Committee.

on proposals to grade & plank Montgomery Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the several proposals for grading and planking the sidewalks on Montgomery street would recommend that the Contract for said work from Barr to Hanna street be awarded to Patrick Doyle and to John W. Langohr for the work from Hanna street to Francis street.

Which report was concurred in, and contract awarded to said parties.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

in relation to rebuilding culvert corner of Wayne & University "Your Committee to whom was referred the resolution of A.E. Broadway instructing the Street Commissioner to enlarge and rebuild the culvert, corner of Wayne and University streets would report in favor of postponing said work until next Spring.

A. H. Carier, } Committee
Henry Stoll,

Which report was concurred in.

Com on Streets submitted the following:-

on proposals to grade & gravel Berry st. and relative to letting of contract Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the resolution of Councilman Bull, instructing them to receive proposals to complete the grading and graveling that portion of West Berry street unfinished by N. McKay, beg leave to report that in accordance with said resolution they duly advertised to receive proposals for said unfinished work on Saturday September 9th 1871. At the time advertised they opened all bids and proposals offered and awarded the contract for said unfinished work as follows, to-wit:-

One half or thereabout to Schieffer & Greibel and the remainder to J. W. Langohr, they being the lowest and best bidders.- For prices, reference is made to the bids of the above named parties. J. W. Langohr having agreed to do his share of work for the price set forth in the bid of Schieffer and Gribel,

The awarding of said work has been made as above stated to two different parties for the purpose of getting all of said unfinished done and completed this fall.

A. H. Carier
Henry Stoll.

Which report was concurred in and Contract ratified.

Report from Comm Streets on pet of Westrumb for widening East College Street.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

The undersigned Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition Geye & Bitzinger to have East College street widened, report in favor of the same, and recommend that arrangements be made with the owner of the lot east of said Street corner of the same and Wayne, and the C. C. Engineer and Street Commissioner be instructed to have said College street widened as petitioned for.

A. H. Carier, } Comm on
Henry Stoll, } Streets.

Which report was concurred in.

Pet of Westrumb et al, to widen Heaver st

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was reffered the petition of H. C. J. Westrumb and others, asking that an Ordinance be passed to open Heaver Street to its proper width would report in favor of the same and recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to prepare said Ordinance.

A. H Carier, } Comm on
Henry Stoll, } Streets.

Pet of Nestel et al, for side walks & bridge ordered on Broadway South of P. F. W. & C. RR.

Com on Streets submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of D. Nestel and others asking for sidewalks on Broadway from the Old Cemetary to Henry street; and also for a culvert to replace the bridge over the creek, between the P. F. W. & C. R. R. and the T. W. & W. RR. would report- first, in favor of the immediate construction of a plank Sidewalk four feet wide, made of sound oak plank, two inches thick and six inches wide, on the West side of Broadway from the cemetary to the city limits and that an Ordinance be introduced and passed to that effect

2d In favor of the petition in regard to Bridge across the Creek by instructing the Street Commissioner to attend to the same

A. H. Carier } Com on
Henry Stoll, } Streets.

Which report was concurred in.

Com on Streets submitted the following

Bl proposals to grade & plank Walnut Street.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several proposals for grading and planking the sidewalks on Walnut Street have examined the same and find Patrick Doyle, to be the best bidder and recommend that the contract for the work be awarded to said Doyle.

Which Report was concurred in.

5/1/72

Report of Special Com.

Special Committee on Alert Truck reported as follows:-

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne:-

On Contract for new Truck of "Alerts".

Your Special Committee appointed for the purpose of purchasing a new truck for the use of the Alert Hook and Ladder Company, of this city beg leave, to report- that in accordance with the resolution passed to that effect, they proceeded to the City of Chicago, and when there they purchased from George W. Hannis, manufacturer of trucks for the sum of two thousand (2000) dollars; said truck to be delivered to the City of Fort Wayne by said George W. Hannis, on or before the 1st day of December 1871, at the depot of the P. F. W. & C. R. R. For other conditions reference is made to the contract here annexed, as made and entered into between said George W. Hannis and your committee

Price $2000

(signed) A. H. Carier,
W. Wadington,
L. Beckwalter,
} Special Com.

To the Hon Council of the City of Fort-Wayne:-

Contract & agreement of Maker of Truck.

I propose and hereby agree to manufacture for your city, within a delay ninety (90) days from the date of acceptance of this proposal, one first-class hook and-ladder truck, with the following equipments:

Seven (7) Ladders; Four (4) Lanters; Two (2) fire axes; Two (2) pick axes; Two (2) pitchforks; Six (6) Pike Poles; One (1) crowbar; Two (2) Ladder supports; One (1) large socket, hook-pole and chain with rope; One (1) 14 inch gong, nickel plated; One Rope Reel; One (1) horse tongue; Two (2) large seat lamps made of brass, nickel plated, with name and number on the glass, the wheels to be the Sarens patent, finished in varnish, the trucks to be painted arine color; ladders to be painted red; bands in hubs to be nickel plated; The freight and charges on said Hook and Ladder truck from Chicago, Ills; and the necessary expenses in delivering the same to be paid by the said city of Fort-Wayne, Ind., for the sum of Two (2) Thousand Dollars, to be paid on delivery of said truck.

George W. Hannis.

Chicago, Ills. Sept 1st

We, the Committee appointed by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne Indiana, for the purpose of buying a Hook and Ladder Truck for said City of Fort Wayne hereby agree on behalf of said City to accept the within proposal, with all the conditions therein mentioned.

Chicago, Ill. Sept. 1st 1871.

A. H. Carier
L. K. Buckwalter } Committee
W. Wadington

Which Report was recd and ordered placed on file, and contract approved.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following
To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

Failure of Walker & Lindlay to sign contract

I would respectfully report that Messrs Walker and Lindlay whose proposal for curbing and paving the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street has been heretofore accepted by Hon. Body, have failed to enter into a contract for the performance of the work and I await your further instructions.

Very respectfully
C. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was received and placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following

CONTRACT

Contract of Schafer & Grebel to curb & gravel Jefferson Street

This Agreement,

Made and entered into this 12th day of September, A. D. by and between Christian Schafer & Ludwig Grebel of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part Witnesseth That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to Curb and Gravel Berry Street from Harrison Street to Webster Street; from Ewing Street to Griffith Street and from Fulton Street to Broadway, for the following prices to wit: for Grading per Cubic foot thirty four cents (34cts) and for Grading per lineal foot Two & 70/100 dollars ($2.34) said party of the first part also covenants and agrees to pave with Cobble Stone, the gutters on both sides of said Streets and repair with cobble stones such parts of said gutters as are already partially paved for the following prices to wit: for paving thirty-four cents (34) per lineal foot and for repaving fourteen cents (14) per lineal foot. Said amounts to be collected by the said part ies of the first part at their own expense from the owners of the property bordering on and adjoining said streets and from the Common Council for the crossing of Streets and Alleys,

bonfa[illegible] Certs, bearing six per cent. interest but payment to be withheld as long as any sums remain unpaid to [illegible] by the contractors for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said part is of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications here-unto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to Cass Street in Bloomingdale street or alley as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the 10th day of November 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the forfeiture and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said part of the of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract. In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Allen Zollars
City Attorney

C. L. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer

Christian Schafer
Ludwig Griebel

Proposal

To grade and gravel Berry Street from Harrison Street to Broadway: Also to [illegible] with Cobble Stones the gutters on both sides of said Street

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen— The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the specifications, and under the direction of City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit.

For gravelling	per lineal foot	$2.67
" grading	" cubic yard	.34
" Paving gutters	per lineal foot	.36
" Repairing	"	.14

Christian Schafer
Ludwig Griebel } Contractors

Fort Wayne, Ind Sept 12th 1871

To the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:— If you award to Christian Schafer and Ludwig Griebel the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of their contract to the said work according to specifications. And we further Agree. That if the said Schafer & Griebel shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work equally to such bid. then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Thousand (2000) dollars and all damages that the city may suffer in consequence of the said Schafer & Griebel having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with this bid

Christian Schafer
Fred Eckart

BOND

Know all men by these Presents that we Christian Schafer and Fredrick Eckart of the county of Allen and state of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum Two Thousand (2000) dollars the Payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Christian Schafer and Ludwig Griebel shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and dated, this 12th day of September 1871 with the Common Council of the city of Ft Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Christian Schafer (Seal)
Ludwig Griebel (Seal)

Specifications for paving Clinton St.

Specifications

For grading and gravelling the Strip of road, from Main Street to Broadway, and for paving with cobble stone the gutters on both sides of said street, between said Points,

Grading

Grading

The surface of said street will be evenly and smoothly graded to conform to the required crown of 6 inches. All material Excavated must be removed by the Contractor at his own expense to the South end of East Street in the North Side Addition, and spread the same as directed by the City Civil Engineer. As soon as the roadway has been brought to the proper crown and grade, it must be thoroughly rolled so as to form a uniform and compact foundation for the gravel, Wherever necessary to fill any portion of the road-bed, said filling must be composed of good clean sand or gravel. The grading both for filling and cutting will be estimated by the Cubic Yard of excavation only.

Graveling

Graveling

The roadway will be graveled to a width of thirty-four feet and an average depth of 12 inches being 15 inches deep in the centre, and 9 inches at the sides. The gravel must be course, and so screened so as to be entirely free from sand and dirt, no stone must be put on which exceeds 3 inches in its largest diameter. A coating of the gravel 8 inches deep in the centre and 5 inches on the sides will first be put on, and thoroughly wetted, and rolled with a six ton roller of not less than 5 tons weight. The rolling to be continued until the whole surface shall become firm and solid, on which a second coating 7 inches deep in the centre and 4 inches on the sides will be put on and wetted, and rolled in like manner.

Gutters

Gutters

The gutters will be paved to a width of four feet (4) width sound boulder stone free from flaws or breaks and of good, hard and imperishable substance. No stone to measure less than four (4) inches in depth when set in an upright position. Said stone to be firmly imbedded on a stratum of clean, course sand not less than eight inches deep care being taken to break joints. The whole when laid must be well pounded down and the surface to a depth of two (2) inches covered with clean, course sand. Wherever on the line of the work the gutters have heretofore been paved and said pavement does conform to the proposed grade, they will be taken up and relaid.

General Specifications

General

The whole of said work shall be done under the direction and superintendence of City Civil Engineer, and all material used or labor performed shall be subject to the inspection of said engineer who shall also in case any dispute should arise, decide finally all questions as to the proper-

[illegible] of said work, and in case of improper construction the violation by the contractor of any of the terms of these specifications said Engineer shall have full power and authority to suspend said work, or order the reconstruction of such portions thereof as may have been improperly done. It is hereby expressly declared and understood, that no claim shall be made by the Contractor, for extra work or material or for a greater amount than is stipulated in the proposal of said contractor unless such extra work or material shall have by ordered in writing, by the City Civil Engineer, in which case payment will be made in accordance with the estimate of said engineer. The contractor will be required to discharge from his employment on said work all incompetent or unfaithful persons and effectually guard the public from any liability to fall in to the excavations or upon the embankments against the earth thrown from them both by night and by night and shall assume and be liable for any and all damages or injury to person or property occasioned by the construction of said work, and shall defend at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions brought against said contractor, or said city arising under these specifications. All of said work must be done in a workmanlike manner and to the full and entire satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer, on or before the 1st day of October 1871.

Which Contract, Bond & Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

Contract for sidewalks on Montgomery from Hanna to Francis

City Civil Engineer presented the following Contract and Bond of John W. Langohr for Grading and Planking the Sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery street from Hanna street to Francis street, reading in the following words and figures to wit:-

CONTRACT

This Agreement,

Made and entered into this 12th day of September, 1871, by and between John W. Langohr. of the County of Allen, State of Indiana of the first part; and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Hanna street to Francis St for the following prices to wit: for Grading per Cubic Yard Sixty two cents (62) & for planking per lineal foot thirty cts

30 Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own cost from the owners of property adjoining and abutting on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of Common Council. The said party of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents. The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the 15th day of October 1871 to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and retelling the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties, hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written. For the Common Council of city of Fort Wayne

John U. Gregory

Allen Ballard
City attorney

C. B. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer

PROPOSAL

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Hanna Street to Francis Street. To the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne. Gentlemen:- The

undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit.

From Wanna Street,
To Francis Street,

For grading per cubic yard, .32¢
Planking " lineal foot .30¢

John W. Langohr Contractor

Fort Wayne, Indiana Aug 22d 1871.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen:- If you award to John W Langohr the above work, or any part thereof. I agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to the Specifications

Jacob Hausman

Specifications

SPECIFICATIONS

For grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Wanna Street to Francis Street.

Grading

GRADING

The above Sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded, to a width of 10 feet, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutters [illegible] 1½ below the natural surface of the ground, if of a suitable nature will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractor, at his own expense, to some point within one mile the distance from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner. Wherever filling is required it must be composed of good clay or sand, free from perishable substances and thoroughly packed down so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the Stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel. The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yards of excavation; provided that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation

PLANKING

Planking

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Oak, free from sap, or other defects. The plank to be 2½ inches thick, 8 inches wide and 12 feet long, and spiked to the stringers with 4 inch spikes, 4 spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square and not less than 12 feet long, and be laid 3 feet apart. All of said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section One, Chapter Eight, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne which is hereby made a part of these Specifications. The contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property by reason of the construction of said walks, and he shall assume all liability for such injury, if occasioned and defend, at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages which may be brought against the City of Fort Wayne, arising under these Specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of City Civil Engineer, on or before the first day of October 1871.

Bond

BOND.

Know all men by these Presents, That we John W. Langohr and Jacob Weisman of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of One Hundred (100) dollars the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John W Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 12th day of September 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force in law.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year above written.

John W. Langohr (SEAL)
Jacob Weisman (SEAL)
Wm. F. Schiefer

Which Contract, Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract, Bond and Specifications of Patrick Doyle for grading and Planking the Sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley Street, reading in the following words and figures to wit:

CONTRACT.

Contract for Sidewalks Walnut St.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 12th day of September A.D.; by and between Patrick Doyle of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part Witness, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley Street. for the following prices to wit: For grading per cubic Yard, Twenty Nine (29) cents. For Planking per lineal foot Twenty Seven and one half cents 27½ cts.

Patrick Doyle

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense from the owners of property bordering on and adjoining said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossing of streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to Laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other body without the consent of Common Council. The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the Specifications hereunto attached, and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished, on or before the first day of October 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and, and according to the above

specifications; then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties hereunto set our hands, the day and year above Written

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Allen Zollars
City Atty

C Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer

PROPOSAL.

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street, from Fairfield Avenue To Oakley Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:— The undersigned Hereby proposes to furnish all labor and materials and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit.

	From Fairfield Avenue To Oakley Street.
For grading per cubic yard	29¢
" planking " Lineal foot	27½

Patrick Doyle Contractor

Fort Wayne Aug 22 1871

To the Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen:— If you award to Patrick Doyle the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to the Specifications

John Taylor
M. L. Ely

SPECIFICATIONS.

For Grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue To Oakley Street

Grading

Grading

Sidewalks will be constructed and properly graded to a width of 8 feet according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes at the ratio of 1½ to 1. The material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling, where required or directed to be used by the Contractor, at his own expense, to some point, not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Board of Public Improvements.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand, free from perishable substances and thoroughly packed down so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yard of excavation; provided, that whatever material is found to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation.

Planking

Planking

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Oak, free from sap, or other defects. The plank to be (2) inches thick, six inches wide and 4 feet long and spiked to the stringers with four (4) 20 penny spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long, and be laid 3 feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the direction of the Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of section One Chapter Eight of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property by reason of the construction of said work, and he shall assume and be liable for such injury if occasioned, and defend at his own cost and expense all suits, actions for damages, which may be brought against him or the City of Fort Wayne, arising under these specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of

the City Civil Engineer, on or before the first day of October 1871.

BOND.

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Patrick Doyle Maurice Cody & John Taylor of the County of Allen and state of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the common council of the city of Fort Wayne in the sum of One hundred dollars the Payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Patrick Doyle shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, and and entered into this 12th day of September 1871 with the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witnessetty, written

Our hands and seals the day and year last above

Patrick Doyle
John Taylor
Maurice Cody

Which Contract Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract, Bond and Specifications of Patrick Doyle for planking the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Barr Street to Lafayette Street on the South side of said Street from Lafayette Street to Clinton Street, using the following words and figures to wit,

CONTRACT

Montgomery St. Sidewalks

, Made and entered into this 12 day of September 1871 by and between Patrick Doyle of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, of the second part,

, Witnesseth that the said party of the first part does

Covenant and agree to grade and plank the Sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Barr Street to Lafayette Street and on the South side of said Montgomery Street from Lafayette Street to Wayne Street for the following prices to wit: For grading per Cubic Yard Twenty nine (29) cents and for planking per lineal foot Forty two (42) cents

Patrick Doyle

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering on and adjoining said Street & Sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossing of Streets and alleys, in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to Laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said party of the 1st part further agrees to to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and finish the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the 15th day of October 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specification, then the said party of second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

City Attorney

City Civil Engineer

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PROPOSAL.

Proposal

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Barr Street to Lafayette Street and on the South side of said Street from Lafayette Street to Hanna Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at the following prices to wit:

	FOR Grading per Cubic Yard.	FOR Planking Per Lineal Foot
From Barr Street to Lafayette Street	.29	.42
" Lafayette " " Clay		
" Clay " " Monroe "		
" Monroe " " Hanna "		

Patrick Doyle Contractor

Fort Wayne Ind Aug 31 1911

To the Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen:- If you award to Patrick Doyle the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to the Specifications

John Taylor
H. L. Rudy.

Specifications

Specifications

For grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Montgomery Street from Barr Street to Lafayette Street, and on the south side of said Street from Lafayette Street to Hanna Street

Grading

Grading

The above sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded to a width of 10 feet according to the lines and Curbs given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter-slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1.

The material excavated if of a suitable nature will be used for filling. Where required otherwise

to be removed by the contractor at his own expense to some point not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner. When sewer filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand free from perishable substances and thoroughly packed down so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yard of excavation; provided, that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation.

Planking.

Planking

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Oak or Pine free from sap or other defects. The plank to be 2½ inches thick six inches wide and 6 feet long and spiked to the stringers with 4 inch spikes 6 spikes to each plank. The Stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long and to be laid 2 feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the directions of the City Civil Engineer and subject to the provisions of section One Chapter Eight of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property by reason of the construction of said work, and he shall assume and be liable for such injury if occasioned, and defend at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages which may be brought against him, or the City of Fort Wayne, arising under these Specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer on or before the First day of October 1871

BOND.

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Patrick Doyle Patrick Boyle & John Taylor of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum

of Three Hundred dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.
The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Patrick Doyle shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 12th day of September 1871 with the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Patrick Doyle (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Maurice Cody (seal)

Which Contract Bond & Specifications were approved and the same ordered placed on file

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of John W. Langohr for Grading & gravelling Berry Street from Webster Street to Ewing Street, Griffith Street to Fulton Street

Contract

Contract for grading & gravelling Berry St. Langohr

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 12th day of September 1871, by and between John W. Langohr of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, of the second part.
Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to Grade and gravel Berry St from Webster Street to Ewing Street and from Griffith Street to Fulton Street for the following prices to wit: For Grading per Cubic foot thirty four (34) cents and for Gravelling per lineal foot Two dollars and Sixty Seven cents (2.67) and Said party of the first part also covenants and agrees to pave the gutters on both Sides of Said Street with Cobble stone and repave those now paved for the following prices to wit:

For paving said gutters with Cobble Stones per lineal foot Thirty Four (34) cents for repaving those already paved fourteen Cents (14) per lineal foot,
Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first part at his own expense from the owner of the property bordering on and adjoining said street. and from the Common Council for the crossing of Streets and alleys in Corporation Orders bearing six per cent interest. but payment thereof to be withheld, so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.
The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to Cass Street in Bloomingdale as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction To be finished before the 10th day of November 1871, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties Hereunto set our hands, the day and year- year- above written

For the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne
John W. Langohr- [Seal]

Allen Zollars
City attorney
C. L. Brackenridges
City Civil Engineer

Propo'sal

To grade and gravel Perry Street from Harrison Street to Broadway: Also to pave with cobble stones the gutters on both sides of said Street.
To the Mayor and Common Council:
Gentlemen- The undersigned hereby propose to do

the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit

For	
Graveling per lineal foot	2.67
" Grading " Cubic yard.	34
" Paving Gutters per lineal foot	36
" Re " " " "	14

John W Langohr, Contractor

Fort Wayne Sept 9th 1874.

To the Mayor Common Council:

Gentlemen— If you award to John W. Langohr the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to said work according to Specifications.

That if the said John W Langohr shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Thousand (2000) dollars and all damages that the city may suffer in consequence of the said John W Langohr having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid

Jacob Weisman
C. Schafer

SPECIFICATIONS

Specifications For grading and gravelling Berry Street from Calhoun Street to Broadway, and for paving with cobble stone the gutters on both sides of said Street between said points.

GRADING

Grading The surface of said street will be smoothly and evenly graded to conform to the required crown of 6 inches. All material Excavated must be removed by the contractor at his own expense, to the south end of Cass Street in the north Side Addition, and spread the same as directed by the City Civil Engineer. As soon as the roadway has been brought to the proper crown and grade it must be thoroughly rolled so as to form a uniform and compact foundation for the gravel.

Whenever necessary to fill any portion of the road bed said said filling must be composed of good clean sand or gravel, the grading both for filling and rolling will be estimated by

the entire first of construction only.

GRAVELING.

Graveling

The roadway will be gravelled to a width of thirty four feet and a camber of 12 inches being 15 inches deep in the centre and 9 inches at the sides. The gravel must be coarse, and screened so as to be entirely free from sand and dirt. no stone must be put on which exceeds 3 inches in its Largest diameter. A coating of the gravel 8 inches deep in the centre, and 5 inches in the sides will first be put on, and thoroughly wetted and rolled with an iron roller of not less than 5 tons weight. The rolling to be continued until the whole surface shall become firm and solid, after which a second coating 7 inches deep in the centre and 4 inches at the sides, will be put on and wetted and rolled in like manner.

GUTTERS.

The Gutters will be paved to a width of four feet, with sound boulder stone, free from flaws or breaks, and of good hard and imperishable substance.

No Stone to measure less than four inches in depth when set in an upright position. Said stone to be firmly imbedded in a stratum of clean coarse sand not less than 8 inches deep care being taken to break Joints.

The whole when laid must be well pounded down and the surface to a depth of 2 inches covered with clean coarse sand Wherever on the line of the work the gutters have heretofore been paved, and said pavement does not conform to the proposed grade they will be taken up and relaid

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS.

The whole of said work shall be done under the direction and superintendance of the City Civil Engineer and all material used or labor performed shall be subject to the inspection of said engineer who shall also in case any dispute should arise decide finally all questions as to the proper performance of said work and in case of improper construction or the violation by the contractor of any of the terms of these specifications said Engineer shall have full power and authority to suspend said work or order the entire reconstruction of such portions thereof as may have been improperly done.

It is hereby expressly declared and understood that no claim shall be made by the contractor for extra work or material or for a greater amount of money than is stipulated in the proposal

of said contractor in such extra work or material shall have been ordered by the City Civil Engineer in writing in which case payment will be made in accordance with the estimate of said engineer. The Contractor will be required to dismiss from his employment on said work all incompetent and unfaithful persons, and effectually guard the public from any liability to fall into the excavations or upset their vehicles against the earth thrown from them both by night and by day and shall assume, and be liable for any, and all damages or injury to persons or property occasioned by the construction of said work and shall defend at his own cost and expense all suits or actions brought against said contractors or said city arising under these Specifications.

All of said work must be done in a workmanlike manner and to the full and entire satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer on or before the day of

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we John W. Langohr Jacob Weisman & Christian Schafer of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Five Thousand 5000 dollars the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents. The conditions of the above obligations are such that if the above bound John W. Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 12th day of September 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in Law.

Witnesseth, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John W. Langohr (Seal)
Jacob Weisman (Seal)
C. Schafer (Seal)

Which Contract Bond and specifications were approved and the same ordered placed on file

City Civil Engineer submitted the following contract and Bond of Patrick O'Brien & C. Streetmatter for Grading and planking sidewalks on both sides of Maumee road from Hamer to College Street

CONTRACT.

This article of agreement entered into this 12th day of September 1871 by and between Charles Streetmatter and Patrick O'Brien of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne acting for the City of Fort Wayne of the second part witnesseth that the said parties of the first part covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee road from Hamer Street to College Street for the following prices to-wit— For Grading Twenty Seven (27) cents per Cubic Yard; for planking Twenty Seven (27) cents per lineal foot. To be allowed by the parties of the first part at their own expense for the Owners of lots and lands adjoining and abutting on said sidewalks and for the Crossing of streets and alleys from the City of Fort Wayne, in Corporation Orders bearing Six per cent interest And said parties agree to do said work in every manner in accordance with the Specifications attached to this agreement and made a part of it: All materials to be furnished by the said parties of the first part said work is also to be completed on or before the 1st day of October 1872 and if not so finished then and in that event. The Common Council shall have the privilege of letting the work to other Parties.

In witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their names

Allen Jollas
City Atty

Charles Streetmatter (seal)
Patrick O'Brien (seal)

C S Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer.

PROPOSAL.

To grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee Road from Hamer Street to College Street;

To the Mayor Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:— The undersigned hereby proposes to

furnish all labor and material, and do the above work according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit:

			For Grading per Cubic Yard.	For Planking per Lineal Foot
From Harmer	Street to King	Street	.27cts	.27cts
" King	" " Comparet	"	"	"
" Comparet	" " University	"	"	"
" University	" " Walter	"	"	"
" Walter	" " College	"	"	"

C. Streetmatter & P. O'Brien Contractors

Fort Wayne Sept 1 1871

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:- If you award to Ch Streetmatter and P. O'Brien the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of this contract to do said work according to the Specifications.

John Taylor
Wm Manthey

SPECIFICATIONS.

Specification. For grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of the Maumee Road from Harmer Street to College Street

GRADING.

The above Sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded to a width of 10 feet, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1. The Material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractors at his own expense to some point not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work and disposed of as directed by the Street-Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand free from perishable substances, and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel

The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yard in Excavation: provided that wherever material is moving

to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as ex-
cavation.

PLANKING.

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good sound White Oak, free from sap or other defects The plank to be 2 inches thick six inches wide and 4 feet long and spiked to the stringers with 4 inches spikes at foot to each plank. The Stringers to be four inches square and not less than 2 feet long and be laid 3 feet apart
(illegible) and must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section One of Title Eight of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractors must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property by reason of the construction of said work, and they shall assume, and be liable for such injury if occasioned: and defend at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages which may be brought against them or the city of Fort Wayne arising under these Specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer on or before the 1st day of October A.D. 87,

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Charles Streetmatters Patrick O'Brien & John Taylor & William Manthy of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Five hundred (500) dollars the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Charles Streetmatters & Patrick O'Brien shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 12th day of September 187; with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and Stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law

Witness, our hands and seals the day and year last above written

Patrick O'Brien

Charles Streetmatters

William Manthy
John Taylor

Which Contract Bond & Specifications were approved and the same ordered placed on file.

Councilman Tower offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindlay for grading and gravelling Calhoun Street from T. W. & W. R.W. to the South limits of the City of Fort Wayne.

In conformity with above instructions C.C. Engineer submitted the following Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindlay & Co., for grading and gravelling Calhoun Street from Creighton Avenue to Butler Street, made @ 29c & 31c per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the gravelling.

Estimate for Lindlay & Co for Gravelling Calhoun st from Creighton Av. to Butler

Owners Names	Description	No of Feet	Assessment for Grading		Assessment for Gravelling		Total		Additional
Jessel Williams	The tract of land bounded on the East by Calhoun street; on the West by Harrison St, on the North by Butler st; & on the south by Creighton Ave.	688	103	20	285	52	388	72	
Emerine J. Hamilton Andrew H. Hamilton Montgomery Hamilton Henry M. Williams Mary Williams Ellen Hamilton, Margaret Hamilton,	A tract or parcel of land commencing at a point on the East line of Calhoun st, where the North line of Creighton Avenue, if produced, would intersect the same; thence East parallel with said Creighton Ave 395 7/12 ft thence North parallel with Calhoun st, 598 15/10 ft.; thence West parallel with Butler street 395 1/2 ft; to Calhoun st; thence South along Calhoun st, 598 8/10 ft. to place of begining.	688 598 8/10	89	82	248	50	338	32	
Paid 15 20 Ira Rupert,	Commencing at the S.E. cor. of Butler & Calhoun streets; thence East 387/10 feet; thence South 89 7/10 feet; thence West 387/8 feet; thence North 89 7/10 feet to place of beginning	89 7/10	13	28	37	00	50	38	
			206	30					

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Approved September 12th 1871
Attest: Sam. P. Freeman, City Clerk.
C. L. Brackenridge
City Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Cullen, Civil Engineer the following 2d Estimate, allowed C. W. Lindlag & Co., for grading and graveling Calhoun street from Butler street to Williams street, made @ 29-31 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the graveling.

[illegible]	DESCRIPTION	NUMBER		[illegible]		TOTAL	ADDITION
		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Estimate for Graveling Calhoun from Fairfield Ave		3	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	Ruperts
		2	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
		1	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
	[illegible]						
	[illegible]						
	[illegible]						
	[illegible]						
	Block; thence Southerly						
	Calhoun street to place of						
	beginning		150 4/10	22 60	62 40	85 60	
	[illegible]	44	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	Williams
	[illegible]	46	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
	[illegible]	47	"	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
	[illegible]	48	"	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
	[illegible]	49	"	7 50	20 75	28 25	"
	[illegible]	45	50	7 50	20 75	28 25	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved September 12th 1871. C. L. Brackenridge

Attest, Saml. Freeman City Clerk. Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Morgan offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed forthwith, to prepare an Estimate in favor of Lindlag & Greibel for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Griffith street from Jefferson to George streets.

In compliance with above instructions C. C. E. submitted the following 1st Estimate allowed Lindlag & Greibel and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Griffith street from Jefferson street to George street made @ 29 3/4 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 30d per lineal foot for the planking.

Estimate for Planking Intersections on Refilling from Jefferson to Lake

OWNERS NAMES	Description			Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment for Grading	Assessment for Planking	Total	
City of Fort Wayne	N. 132 ft of			3	132	6 60	39 60	46 20	Sturgis
John C. Fietsche	S 10 ft " "			3	10	50	3 00	3 50	"
" " "				4	50	2 50	15 00	17 50	"
John McCartney				5	50	2 50	15 00	17 50	"
Anton Kohlmeier	N 33⅓ ft of			6	33⅓	1 66⅔	10 00	11 66⅔	"
George Fisher	S. 16⅔			"	16⅔	83⅓	5 00	5 83⅓	"
" "	N. " "			7	16⅔	83⅓	5 00	5 83⅓	"
Fred Boesler	S 33⅔ ft of			"	33⅓	1 68⅓	10 10	11 78⅓	"
Francis M. Johnson				8	66	3 30	19 80	23 10	"
Kelker Anthony	W 30 ft of			9	30	1 50	9 00	10 50	"
Mary J. & James R Ryan	S 20 " "			"	20	1 00	6 00	7 00	"
" " " " "	N. 11 " "			10	11	35	3 30	3 85	"
John J. Schele	S 39 ft "			"	39	1 95	11 70	13 65	"
Catherine Ivy	S 25 " "			11	25	1 25	7 50	8 75	"
Ann Girard	N 29 " "			"	29	1 45	8 70	10 15	"
Anthony Keil	N 44 " "			12	44	2 20	13 20	15 40	"
Michael Leimbert	S 6 " "			"	6	30	1 80	2 10	
" "				13	17	85	5 10	5 95	"
Esther Ewing				1	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	Ewings Add
S. C. Evans				2	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Esther Ewing	S 14 ft of			3	14	70	4 20	4 90	" "
Charlotte A. Tabor	N 28 " "			"	28	1 40	8 40	9 80	" "
Esther Ewing	N. 14 " "			4	14	70	4 20	4 90	" "
John Kliver	S 28			"	28	1 40	8 40	9 80	" "
Herman Kratsch				5	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Herman Banta				6	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Esther Ewing				7	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
" "				9	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Sabina Keffler				11	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Esther Ewing				12	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
" "				13	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Charles Amon				14	42	2 10	12 60	14 70	" "
Esther Ewing				15	45 54/60	2 27	13 62	15 89	" "

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,

Approved September 12th 1881,

Attest, Wm. P. Freeman City Clerk,

C. D. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was allowed & approved and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Stole offered the following:

Resolved. That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of Neil McKay for grading and paving the side walks on both sides of Ewing street from Berry street to Wayne street.

In compliance with above instructions C. C Engineer submitted the following First Estimate allowed Neal McKay for grading and paving with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from Berry street to Wayne street, made @ 34 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 47 cents per lineal foot for the paving.

OWNERS NAMES	DESCRIPTION	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment FOR Grading	FOR Paving	TOTAL	Addition
N. G. Olds		1	22	150	9 06	70 50	79 56	Ewings
Heirs of Joseph Solomon		12	22	150	9 06	70 50	79 56	"
Charlotte A. Taber		7	21	150	9 06	70 50	79 56	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

C. D. Brackenridge
City Engineer

Approved, Sept 12th 1871
Attest, Saml. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following

Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed to prepare an Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for grading and paving the sidewalks on Wayne street from Broadway to Van Buren street, and from Van Buren to Jackson street.

In conformity with above resolution C. C. E. submitted the following First Estimate allowed John W. Langohr, for grading and paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Broadway to Van Buren street made @ 59¢ per lin foot for the curbing, and 70¢ per lin foot for the grading and paving.

OWNER'S NAMES	Description	No of Lot	Feet	Assessment FOR Curbing	FOR Grading & Paving	Total	Addition
George Adam Kulb		97	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	Rockhill
" " "		98	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Theresa R. Ely		99	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Mary Bourdman & Enoch Zollars		100	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Wayne St. M. E. Church Trustees		133	50	29 50	-	29 50	"
" " " " "	"	132	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Margaret W. Kidd		131	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Jane Cure		130	50	29 50		29 50	"
"		129	50	29 50		29 50	"
		128	50	29 50		29 50	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.
Approved September 12th 1871. C. D Brackenridge
Attest, Sam. P Freeman, City Clerk. Civil Engineer

Which Contract was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In conformity with instructions C. C. Engineer submitted the following First-Estimate allowed Jno W Langohr for grading and paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Van Buren to Jackson street, made @ 59¢ per lin foot for the curbing & 70¢ per lineal foot for grading and paving.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Feet		Assessment FOR Curbing	Assessment FOR Grading & Paving	TOTAL	
Samuel Brenton's "Est"		101	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	Rockhill's
" " "		102	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
" " "	E 1/2	103	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
James L. Woodward	W 1/2	"	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
Laura E Collins		104	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Nathan Sibery		105	50	29 50	35 00	64 500	"
Sarah A Jones		106	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Frances L Bayless		127	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Madora Whiteman	E 1/2	126	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
Emily Wells	W 1/2	"	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
" "	E 5 1/6 ft	125	5 1/6	3 05	3 62	6 67	"
Corydon Green	W 44 5/6	"	44 5/6	26 45	31 38	57 83	"
N. P. Stockbridge		124	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"
" "	E 1/2	123	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
Elizabeth & John Rhinesmith,	W 1/2	"	25	14 75	17 50	32 25	"
" "		122	50	29 50	35 00	64 50	"

I Certify the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.
Approved September 12th 1871. C. D. Brackenridge.
Attest, Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk. Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties assessed ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Councilman Tremmel offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed forthwith, to prepare an Estimate in favor of P. O'Brian and Charles Streitmatter for grading and planking the sidewalks on Maumee Road, from University to College street, and from Hanna street to King street.

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In compliance with above instructions C. C. E. submitted following First Estimate allowed Patrick O'Brien and Charles Streitmatter for grading and planking the sidewalks on Maumee Road from Harmer street to King street, etc, made @ 27cts per cubic yard for the grading, and 27c per lineal foot for the planking.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment FOR Grading	Assessment FOR Planking	Total	Addition
C. A. & J. J. King		38	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	Compare to King
do do		39	52 4/10	10 48	14 14	24 62	"
do do		40	52 4/10	10 48	14 14	24 62	"
do do		41	52 4/10	10 48	14 14	24 62	"
do do		42	52 4/10	10 48	14 14	24 62	"
do do		43	52 35/100	10 45	14 10	24 55	"
	King to Compare- street.						
C. A. & J. J. King		66	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	Compare to
do do		65	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	"
Bernard Harney		64	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	"
Frank Albright		63	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	"
C. A. & J. J. King		62	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	"
do do		61	52½	10 50	14 17	24 67	"
	Compare to University						
C. A. & J. J. King.		60	52 10/100	7 30	14 06	21 36	"
do do		59	52 15/100	7 31	14 07	21 38	"
do do		58	52 30/100	7 32	14 12	21 44	"
do do		57	52 30/100	7 32	14 12	21 44	"
do do		56	56 20/100	7 97	15 39	23 36	"

I Certify the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
Approved, September 12th 1871, C. S Brackenridge
attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk, City Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties assessed, ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In Compliance with instructions C.C.E. submitted following First Estimate allowed Patrick O'Brien & Charles Streitmatter for grading & planking Maumee Road sidewalks from University to Walter & Walter to College street made at 27¢ for the grading, per cubic yard and, 27¢ per lineal foot for the planking

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Sidewalks on Hanover from Irving to College

Owner's Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment FOR Grading	Assessment FOR Planking	Total	Ad
Gottlieb Thieme		15	50/p	8 58	13 63	22 21	College
Helena Koenig		14	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
Frederick Thieme		13	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
John Haffer		12	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
William Paul		11	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
C. F. Reinking		10	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
Phillip Wambsgans		9	50	8 50	13 50	22 00	"
" "		8	52/p	8 ~~98~~	14 17	23 09	.
	Walter Street to College street.						
Christian Piepenbrink		6	45/p	4 32	12 28	16 60	College
Gottlieb Thieme		5	50	4 75	13 50	18 25	"
John Haffer		4	50	4 75	13 50	18 25	"
August Kunzelman		3	50	4 75	13 50	18 25	"
Phillip Dudenhefer		2	50	4 75	13 50	18 25	"
" "		1	67/p	6 41	18 22	24 63	"

Rec'd Payment in full of the within named parties the amounts respectively assessed against them.
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I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
Approved, September 12th 1871, C. L. Brackenridge
attest, Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk. Civil Engineer.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties assessed, ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

Councilman Hoff offered the following resolution,
Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of Patricks Doyle for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Butler street.

Pat Doyle cont. Sidewalks on Harrison from Dawson to Butler

In compliance with above instructions C.C.E. submitted following First Estimate allowed Patrick Doyle for grading and planking the Sidewalks on both sides of Harrison street from Dawson street to Williams Street made @ 28 cents per cubic yard for the grading & 28 per lift for planking

Owner's Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment FOR Grading	Assessment FOR Planking	Total	Ad
Trustees of Gen. Meth. Ep. Church		9	50	1 65	14 00	15 65	Johnsons
" " " " " "		5	50	1 65	14 00	5 65	
Huldah Johnson		6	50	1 65	14 00	15 65	
" "		7	50	1 65	14 00	15 65	
Christian Bruz		14	50	1 65	14 00	15 65	
Peter Calings		15	50	1 65	14 00	15 65	"
Emily C. Dills		7	150	4 95	42 00	46 95	Williams
Clara Tyler		6	150	4 95	42 00	46 95	"
	Williams to Butler						
J. M. Edmonds		53	150	10 50	42 00	52 50	"
Wm. Stewart		52	150	10 50	42 00	52 50	"

Pat Doyle

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I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an Order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved Sept 12th 1871. C. L. Brackenridge,
Attest, Sam'l Freeman, City Clerk. City Engineer,

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties assessed instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate,

Councilman Sowers offered the following:-

Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed forthwith to prepare a First-Estimate in favor of Schafer & Greibel for grading and gravelling Lewis street from Lafayette to Barr street,

In conformity with said instructions C. C. Engineer submitted following First-Estimate allowed Schafer & Greibel for grading and gravelling Lewis street, from Lafayette to Barr street, made @ 23¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 83¢ per lineal foot for the gravelling.

Owners Names	Description	No of Lot	No of Feet	Assessment for Gravelling	Total	Addition
Christian Gable		243	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	Hamms
John Conger		244	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	"
" "		245	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	"
Henry Hethorn		246	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	"
Isaac M. Rosenthal		247	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	"
A. H. & R. Wells		248	61 14/100	25 38	25 38	"
William Stewart	S 59 ft of	249	59	24 48/100	24 48/100	"
John Gercke		1	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	Hamilton
" "		2	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	"
Christ J. Helter		3	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	"
James Donahoe		4	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	"
Samuel Trimble		5	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	"
George W. Ewing's Executors		6	48 1/4	20 02	20 02	"
Michael Nedeken	N 50 ft of	7	50	20 75	20 75	"
" "	" " " "	8	50	20 75	20 75	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne,

Approved September 12th 1871 C. L. Brackenridge
Attest, Sam'l Freeman City Clerk, City Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimates ordered to pay Contractor as per Estimate and Contract

City clerk presented certified copy from Auditor of Allen County showing that certain lands belonging to the Kleber Estate, had been taken inside the City limits by order of the Hon. Board of Commissioners of

said County, in compliance with prayer of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Which paper was read and ordered placed on file.

Resignation of W. B. Fisher

Resignation of W. B. Fisher Councilman from 8th Ward, read, stating that he was on the eve of removing from the city,

Which resignation was received with regret, and ordered placed on file.

Appropriation to Fire Dept.

Councilman Morgan offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty ($120) Dollars be appropriated to defray the expense of music for the Fire Department at the Annual Parade to take place on the 19th instant,

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Bill for drainage on Hamilton's lots

Street Commissioner reported the following bill for drainage to abate nusance, on lots 107-106-105 Hamilton's Add.

Lots 107-106-107 Hamiltons Add. owned by George W. Wood, cost for Drainage & Labor $16.50

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

Gentlemen:

I have in compliance with the order of the Board of Health caused a drain to be constructed in front of the above property, the cost of which is set opposite to said described lots.

C. L. V. Willard.
Street Commissioner

I certify that the above was done by order of the Board of Health.
Isaac M. Rosenthal.

Which bill was approved and Treasurer instructed to collect of Mr. Wood the amount thus expended.

Assignment of Contract of Neil McKay for improvements on Berry

City clerk submitted the following assignment of contract for grading and flagging the sidewalks, by N. McKay contractor Sheridan, Marks & Co which read in these words:-

CONTRACT.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 25th day of [illegible] A. D 1871 by and between Neil McKay of the County of [illegible]

and State aforesaid of the first part and William Sheridan Marcus Marks and Samuel C. Sinclair of the County and State aforesaid of the second part.

Witness, , That the party of the first part does covenant and agree for valuation received, to assign to said parties of second part all his rights and titles against any one whatsoever for grading to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Main St. from George Street to Main Street. The said Samuel C. Sinclair of the second part is to receive the sum of Four Cents per foot for all sand used on said work, which he is to hold and keep in trust. The remaining amount of Monies given for said work is to be retained by the Wm. Sheridan and Marcus Marks of the second part. who on their part, agree to furnish all labor performed and material used in the prosecution of said work and they William Sheridan and Marcus Marks the parties of the 2nd part, further agrees to assume and pay all liabilities against said McKay of the first part for labor performed and material consumed in the prosecution of said above work.

The said Neil McKay of the first part further agrees to furnish all said to said parties of the second part, and which said the parties of the second part agree to take of the party of the first part. The parties of the second part. William Sheridan and Marcus Marks on their part to agree to perform the work of boulevard (and according to the specifications of said contract) made between Neil McKay of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne on the 24th day of July 1871 to grade to a width of five feet the sidewalks on Ewing Street from George Street to Main Street on or before the time specified in said contract spoken of above.

Witness, , My hand and seal this 28th day of August A.D 18[illegible]

Parties of the second part.
Wm Sheridan
Marcus Mark
Witness, Sam'l Brenan,

Neil McKay [seal]
of the 1st part

Which assignment was approved by the Council, and same ordered placed on file.

Adjournment

On motion Council adjourned to Thursday the 14th inst.

F. P. Kennedy

Read Approved and signed in
open Council this 26th day of Sept 1871
Attest Sam P. Brenan Cty Clerk

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
adj Regular Session
September 14th 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present Councilmen Bradway, Carin, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Shoff, Steel, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (15) absent, Bull Fisher & Washington (3).

chairman pro tem appointed.

On motion Mr. Morgan, from the 4th Ward was appointed Chairman pro-tem, His Honor Mayor Randall, being absent on account of illness.

Councilman Bradway offered the following:-

Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of Sheridan Marks, (Assignees) for grading and paving the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from Wayne steet to Washington street.; Also prepare an Estimate in favor of Shaffer and Greibel for grading and graveling Lewis steet from Clay steet to Lafayette steet.

In compliance with instructions from the Council, C.C.E. submitted following first Estimate in favor of Wm. Sheridan Marks and Samuel E. Sinclair (Assignees) paving with brick, the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing steet from Wayne steet to Washington steet, made at 35 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 47 cents per lineal foot for the paving.

Owners Names	Description	Number of			Assessment		Total	Addit...
		Lot	Block	Feet	FOR Grading	FOR Paving		
Marx Graff	The N. 80 ft of	6	28	80	1400	3760	4160	Ewings.
A J Read	" S. 37 " "	"	"	37	185	1739	1924	"
Henry Read	" 33 ft N of the S 37 ft	"	"	33	165	1551	1716	"
Gerhard Retters	" S 80 ft of	7	"	80	400	3760	4160	"
Chris Krasch	" [illegible]	"	"	70	350	[illegible]	3640	"
Rebecca Anderson		1	27	150	750	7050	7800	"
Thomas Sweeney		12	"	150	750	[illegible]	[illegible]	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

C. C. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer

Approved September 14/871,
Attest, Sam'l Freeman City Clerk,

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per contract and Estimate.

Estimates

In compliance with instructions the C. C. E. submitted the following 1st Estimate allowed Shaffer & Greibel for grading and graveling Lewis street from Clay street to Lafayette street, made @ 23 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the graveling.

Owners Names	Description	Number of		Assessment for Graveling		Total		Addition
		Lot	Feet					
[illegible]		50	107½	44	61	44	61	Hannas
Shaffer & Greibel — Adam Rick	West ½	251	61 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
for graveling — John W. Uhrs	East ½	251	61 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
Lewis st — [illegible]		252	61 14/100	25	38	25	38	"
from Clay to Lafayette — Frederick Harris	East 33 feet	253	33 57/100	13	93	13	93	"
Lawson F. Altafoch	West 27⅓ feet	253	27 57/100	11	63½	11	63½	"
Christian Gable		254	61 47/100	25	38	25	38	"
Rachael Gale		20	140	58	10	58	10	Lewis
William Sargent		9	50	20	75	20	75	"
Henry Waltemath	West 33⅓ feet	18	33⅓	13	33	13	33	"
Henry Weigman	East 16⅔ "	18	16⅔	6	91	6	91	"
" "	West 16⅔ "	17	16⅔	6	91	6	91	"
[illegible]	East 33⅓ "	17	33⅓	13	33	13	33	"
Samuel D. Krough		16	50	20	75	20	75	"
Erastus Eldridge	East ½	15	25	10	87½	10	87½	"
Moritz Ax[illegible]	West ½	15	25	10	87½	10	87½	"
[illegible]		14	50	20	75	20	75	"
Moritz Axt		13	50	20	75	20	75	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne

Approved Sept-14 1871, Jeff Brackenridge
Attest. Sam'l Freeman City Clerk. City Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties assessed ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

For graveling crossings

City Civil Engineer submitted following 1st Estimate in favor Schafer & Greibel for grading and graveling Lewis street.

1 culvert on E. side Clay street	51.73	
" " " W " " "	40.74	92.47
" " bet. Lafayette & Clay "		34.10
" " on E. side Lafayette "	45.36	
	40.09	85.45
" " " Monroe		31.25
" " " " Extra		5.00

Grading	Hamma to Monroe	219 C.Y	
	Monroe Crossing	81 "	
	Monroe to Clay	347 "	
	Clay crossing	61 "	
	Clay to Lafayette	401 "	
	Lafayette Crossing	90 "	
	" to Barr	622 "	
		1821 "	423,47

Graveling	Monroe Crossing	65 ft	
	Clay "	65 "	
	Lafayette "	65 "	
	Alley "	15 "	
		210 "	195,30

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to pay Contractors in City Orders the above amount.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following.

To the Mayor and Common Council:-

Gentlemen:-

C.E. suggests purchase of Roller

I would respectfully recommend that the roller heretofore used in the Graveling of Berry street be purchased for the use of the City.

Respectfully
C. D. Brackenridge,
City Civil Engineer

Which report was concurred in.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council,

Gentlemen:-

C.C.E. on Obstructing alley in Bloomingdale

I would respectfully report that the 10 foot alley running North and South along the West side of Bonserville in Bloomingdale is obstructed at the North end by the corner of Lot No. 50 in said Bonserville.

Respectfully
C. D. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which report was referred to Committee on Streets

City Clerk presented an affidavit of Patrick Crimmins one of the firm of Crimmins & Ney, contractors for constructing a sewer on Baker street, and praying that a precept be issued against

Affidavit of Cummins vs Sweeney, [illegible]

Lot No. 8, Bakers addition owned by James Sweeney, who was a resident of Ft. Wayne, at the time of the Estimate was approved for said Lot, (which lot is now owned by Mary Sweeny and Catherine Sweeny) for the sum of $74.50

Which affidavit was recd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the license prayed for.

Monthly Statement of Treasurer

Monthly Statement of City Treasurer recd from which it appears that he had received with bal on hand last Report, the sum of $2657.35 (which he claims a credit) By orders redeemed & interest thereon . . 935.57

Leaving a balance in treasury of 1721.78

Which report being endorsed by Committee on Finance as correct was recd and ordered placed on file.

The following Report was recd from the Street Commissioner, on cost of constructing sidewalk fronting Lot 343, Hannas Add.

Mary E Bowen, Lot 343, 150 feet @ 35c. for planking and Grading 52.50 Hannas Add

Report of Street Commissioner for Sidewalk fronting his part of Mary E. Bowen

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen:

I have in compliance with your orders caused a plank Sidewalk to be constructed in front of the above described property, the cost of which is set opposite said description.

B. L. P. Williard

Street Commissioner

I Certify the above work has been constructed according to grade

C. L. Brackenridge

C. C. E.

Which report was recd and ordered placed on file.

Ordinance

An ordinance (H.I.) to open an alley 16 feet wide through land owned by Thomas Sweeny, along the west side of Lot Numbered One, in Edsalls addition to the City of Ft Wayne, from the South side of Wall street to the Pittsburgh Ft Wayne & Chicago Railway was read a third time, and on motion was referred to Committee on Streets. On motion of Mr. Wilson the vote to refer said Ordinance to said Committee was reconsidered. The question then being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were. Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Shryock, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (12) Nays None (0). So the ordinance was passed with the following

Amendment

Resolved That all of Section 1 after the and opened in line 5 of said Section be stricken out and the following inserted, to-wit: "From the South

Ordinance

side of Wall Street) to the Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad ... between Lot No. 1 in Edsall's Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, and ... lands adjoining said lot on the west owned by Thomas Swinney, ... to extend to the width of five feet on each side of said land

To open allen(No 2) in Edsall's Add.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open an alley ten feet wide parallel and adjoining the land owned by the Pittsburgh Fort-Wayne and Chicago Railway Company, as right of way, and across the North end of Lots Numbered One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight Nine an Ten. in Edsalls Addition to the City of Fort Wayne and across the North Side of Lot Numbered Eleven in Walls addition to the City of Fort Wayne, to the West line of Hood Street, was read a third time, The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel Tagtmeyer and Wilson (14) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

To open alley between W. G. Ewings Add. & Bonds Sub-div.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open and extend the alley between W. G. Ewings Administrators Addition and Bonds Sub-division Out Lot Number Two (2) in the City of Fort Wayne, North to Jefferson Street was read a third time, The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (14) Nays (none) - So the Ordinance was passed.

To Widen George St.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to widen George street 30 feet on the South side of the same from the Western terminus of Brackenridge street to Fairfield Avenue was read a third time, The question being Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel Tagtmeyer and Wilson, (14.) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

To Widen Leigh St.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to widen Leigh street Eight 1/2 feet on the South side the same from the west side of Lot Numbered Thirteen (13) in McCullochs Addition to the city of Fort Wayne to lot Number twelve (12) in the North East corner of Out Lot Numbered Sixteen (16) in G. W. Ewings Out lots in said city of Fort Wayne, was read a third time, The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (14) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance

Councilman Carier introduced an Ordinance (H.I.) authorizing the Construction of the Citizens Steel Rail Road, which was read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Shryock, the rules were suspended to have the ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (14) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Right of Way to Steel Rail Road

On motion said ordinance was referred to Committee on Streets.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to assign numbers to lots or part of Lots in the City of Fort Wayne, and to affix assigned numbers to all buildings in said city was read a third time. Prio to the passage of said Ordinance, on motion of Mr. Goshorn, Sec. 1st on the 9th line after the word "back ground" was amended as to read "persons desiring to can affix such style of numbering as best suits them", also on motion of Mr. Carier Sec 2, Line 7th after the word "advanced" on the 6th line, to read "by the City Clerk in City orders, instead of City Treasurer" The question being upon the passage of the Ordinance as amended, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (13) Nays (none) So the Ordinance as amended was passed.

To assign numbers

To open & Extend Wayne Street

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open and extend Wayne street from its present Eastern terminus East of the City limits was introduced and read a first time now. Mr. Bradway moved that the rules be suspended, for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (11) Nays Carier Stoll & Shryock (3), So the rules were not suspended.

To vacate part of Alley Bars & Hamma's Add.

An Ordinance, (H.I.) to vacate a part of an alley along the West side of Bars and Hamma Addition was read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Bradway the rules were suspended to have the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer Goshorn, Hamma, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (14) Nays (none,) So the rules were suspended and ordinance read a second time now. On motion, said Ordinance was referred to Committee on Streets.

Com on Education submitted following memorial from

Report of Supt. of Public Schools

Geo. H. Wilson
Chairman Com. on Education

Sir:-

A careful inspection of the Clay and Jefferson school buildings shows that the roofs are in need of repairs. They leak so badly that the calcimined walls are rapidly becomming spoiled.

Supt Public Schools re:

I am quite sure that a new coating of gravel and tar will save more than the cost thereof. I therefore request that you the council to authorize the said improvement.

Respectfully J. H. Smart
Supt Schools

To His Honor the mayor and the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne.

Com on Education on Repairs

In respect to the letter herewith filed. The Committee on Education have examined the Clay and Jefferson school Buildings and find that the roofs of the same are in need of immediate repairs. We therefore ask that some person be authorized to make said repairs.

Geo. H. Wilson.
Chs of Committee

Which memorial and report was referred to Committee on Education with power to act to the best interests of the city.

Resolution

Councilman Bradway offered the following:- Resolved:- That the City Treasurer be and hereby is instructed to collect from Mary E. Brown $52.50 the amount reported by the Street Commissioner for the construction of sidewalk in front of lot No. 343 Hanna's Add. Which Resolution was adopted.

Fees to collect from Mrs Brown

Councilman Isenhoon offered the following resolution:- Resolved. That the city attorney be instructed to proceed legal to and cause the appointment of a guardian for the minor heirs of L. Kleiber to answer for said heirs in regard to further proceedings in the opening of Force Street- Which resolution was adopted.

City Attorney to have guardian appointed for minor heirs of Kleiber

Councilman Carey offered the following Resolution Resolved that Christian Gable owner of lot 177 Hanna's addition and corner of Jefferson and Barr Street be authorized to curb with stones and construct his sidewalk with brick provided he does the same to the satisfaction of City Engineer.

Chris Gable to curb with stone construct brick S.W.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Horgan offered the following Resolution
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to put down a crossing on the Alley East side of Fairfield avenue between Bass Street and Colerick Street.
Which resolution was adopted.
Councilman Horgan offered the following Resolution
Resolved. That the property owners on Calhoun Street South of the Railroad be exempted from paying for the grading of said Street and that said grading be paid for out of the funds of the City
Which resolution was adopted.
Councilman Morgan offered the following resolution,
Resolved. That the Fort Wayne Gas Light Co be authorized to Put up lamp post on South west corner of Van Buren and Jefferson.
Which resolution was adopted.
Councilman "Goshorn" offered the following Resolution
Resolved That the Street Commissioner be instructed to examine the side walk on center Lafayette & Wallace Streets & report to George Jacoby in connection with the petition of L. Herke to be relieved from building plank sidewalks and report at our Stated Meeting.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Horgan offered the following Resolution.
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to enlarge the connection of the Sand Pit South of the R.R. at the end of the Calhoun Street Sewer and to provide means of access to said sewer for the water that accumulates South of the T.W. & W. R.R Passenger depot.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Bower offered the following resolution.
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of property bordering on the North line of Harmer Street from Lafayette to Barr, to grade and plank their sidewalks within 15 days from date of notification, and in default thereof said Commissioner is further instructed to construct same and report the cost thereof, for assessment against said property owners.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shoaff offered the following.
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to repair the abutments of the Broadway bridge across the new North

Resolutions continued

of the T.W. & W.R.W.

Which resolution was adopted.

crossings to be of same width as sidewalks

Councilman Jagemeyer offered the resolution in effect, that the future street and alley crossings should be of the uniform width of sidewalk,

Which resolution, was on motion laid on the table.

Com. on Fire Dept to examine cistern in 6th Ward

Councilman Schopf offered the following:-

Resolved That the Committee on Fire Department are hereby instructed to examine the condition of the Fire cistern in front of Protection Engine House in the 6th Ward, and order the necessary repairs to said cistern as the same is in a precarious situation.

Which resolution was adopted

certain well in Bloomingdale to be filled

Councilman Stoll offered the following

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to fill up a certain well now open and dangerous on Douglas Street opposite the lot owned by George Mayers in Clarke's addition to Fort Wayne,

Which resolution was adopted.

Owners of Lots 33-34-35 & 36 Ed. add. to gravel sidewalk

Councilman Underhill offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to notify the owners of Lots 33, 34 35 & 36, in Edsall's Addition to repair and build with good gravel the sidewalks fronting said lots on Nirdlinger Avenue and Broadway, in accordance with Chapter 31, Sec. 3 of the City Charter.

Which resolution was adopted.

Fire Cistern to be constructed corner of Wells & Douglas st

Councilman Stoll offered the following:

Resolved, That a Fire cistern be constructed at the corner of Douglas & Wells streets, and connected with the feeder canal by a four inch pipe to feed said cistern wherein needed and thus do away with the expense of filling the same by hand.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Fire Department,

crossing on Wells st

Councilman Stoll offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to make a plank crossing across Wells street, on the North side of the same where Douglas street crosses said Wells street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following.

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct a plank crossing across Wells street on the South side of the same where Fifth Street crosses said Wells street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Commissioners appointed to assess damages and benefits accruing to property caused by the opening of streets, submitted the following on the extension of Douglas street, which read in these words and figures to wit:-

To the Hon. Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne.

Having had a legal notice to meet and assess the benefits and damages accruing to the owners of lands and lots through which Douglas Street will pass in opening and extending the same from its present Western terminus through out lot Number No 6 Div. in the north East fractional quarter of section two (2) Township thirty (30) Range Twelve (12) in a Northwesterly direction so as to connect with the Street Commissioners East & West through Clarks Addition to the City of Fort Wayne we have met on this 14th day of September 1871 and being satisfied that legal notice has been given to the owners of the lots and lands through which said Street will pass. have assessed the real estate aforesaid. and the amount to be appropriated and now report.

First - That the strip of land to be taken and appropriated in extending said street as aforesaid. is of the value of Four hundred (400) dollars.

Second We find that no part of said sum ought to be bore by the city of Fort Wayne.

Third We find that said Street will extend and pass through the following real Estate Viz. Out lot Number Six (6) of Hamsa's out-lots in the North East fractional quarter of Section two (2) Township thirty (30) called Bloomingdale: That the south half of said lot is owned by George Strodel and Peter Veit and North half of said lot is owned by Jacob C. Bowser and Mrs Louisa Duffy and Frank Duffy and also Thomas H Duffy Wm P Duffy Minor heirs of Thomas Duffy deceased of which minor heirs and their property Mary Harrod is Guardian; and that said street will extend very nearly on the line between the two halves of said out-lots Number (6) Six. We find that the north half of said lot number Six (6) owned by said Jacob C Bowser and Louisa Duffy Frank Duffy. Tho. P Duffy & William P Duffy Heirs of Law of Thomas Duffy deceased as aforesaid is damaged in the sum of One Hundred dollars. And We find further that the south half of said lot number Six (6) owned by George Strodel and Peter Veit is damaged in the sum

of three hundred (300) dollars and we find that the north part of said lot as aforesaid is benefitted to the amount of two Hundred (200) dollars and that the south half of said lot as aforesaid is benefitted to the amount of two Hundred (200) dollars all of which is most respectfully submitted

Council Chamber of the city of Fort Wayne Sept 12th 1871

J. C. Davis
John H. Hill
Henry Schone
P. B. Filson
B. H. Bentman

Which Report was concurred in & Clerk ordered to place same on file

Proposals to grade & plank alley

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised by City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the alley between Main and Columbia Streets from Clinton Street to Calhoun Street were opened & read as follows

To the Mayor and Common Council of city of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the specifications, and under the direction of City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:

	A. M. Webb & Co	C. W. Lindlay	Chas Pape	Patrick Doyle	P. O'Brian & Charles Street	
For Planking, per lineal foot, including grading & gravel bed.	1 62	1 69	1 45	1 45		

~~Patrick O'Brien & Charles Streetmather Contractors~~
~~Fort Wayne Sept 12th 1871~~

~~To the Mayor and Common Council:~~

~~Gentlemen - If you award to Patrick O'Brien & Charles Streetmather the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of their contract to do said work according to specifications.~~

~~And we further agree, That if the said P. O'Brien & C. Streetmather shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to said bid then we will forfeit and pay the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, and all damages that the city may suffer or incur by reason of the said Patrick O'Brien & Charles Streetmather having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with their bid.~~

~~Wm. Pearce~~
~~John Vaxter~~

Which proposal was referred to the Committee on Streets

Sealed proposals heretofore advertised by the City Civil Engineer to grade and plank the sidewalks on the South side of Wallace Street from Calhoun street to Lafayette street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne,

Gentlemen - The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit:

	Grading per Lineal foot	Grading per Cubic Y
Patrick OBrian & C. Street-matter,	.30	.29
C.W. Tindlag & Co.,	31	35
A.M. Webb & Co.,	33	31

~~Gentlemen. If you award to Patrick Doyle the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to specifications~~

~~And we further agree, that if the said Patrick Doyle shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to said bid then we will forfeit and pay the city of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred ($200) Dollars and all damages that the city may suffer in consequence~~

Which proposals were referred to Committee on streets, with instructions to examine the same and report to the Council the lowest and best bidder.

The following bills were then allowed.

B.I.P. Williard,	Streets	8100	J. Hogan,	Streets	31
H.C. Taylor	"	45	P. Luxumberger	"	32
[illegible]	"	3600	[illegible]	"	4
[illegible]	"	2000	[illegible]	"	21 15
Jno P Waters	"	1800	E. Linker	"	25 50
Jacob Geis	"	8	S. Webber	"	3 75
Geo Mayers	"	22	A. Grogan	"	3 50
N Thomason	"	54	A. Granulant	"	6
[illegible] Renol	"	54	B. Franklin	"	15
J. Bonfoi	"	35	P Jacobs	"	12 75
H. Stiers	"	36	J Ryan	"	58
[illegible]	"	36	W Reed	"	50
H. Schopmann	"	36	H Brown	"	72
Con Cull	"	36	J.G. Whitehead	"	64

G. Haines	Sheets	54.	A H. Carter V Buckwalter			62 75
P Gable	"	16	H. Wilson			11
H. Stoll	"	50	Jno Bull	"	"	11
P. Doyle	"	255 50	W B. Fisher	"	"	8 25
S. Keller & Co	"	17 50	W. Wadington (Fire Dept)			6
Wm Manthing	"	19 50	W B. Fisher	"		
D. M. McKendry	"	40 50	L. Dessauer	"		8 25
F. McNulty		19	H. Wilson			
Morgan V Beach	"	93 65	J. W. Bull	"	"	21 5
Wilson & Co	Fire Dept	126 33	Cochrane V Humphrey	Pub. Schls		1760
Geo Swain	"	3	C. A Zollinger	Police		75 90
Geo Spinner	"	300	C. Raquel	Gen Exp.		3,00
Jas Beard	"	2.	M. Houlihan	"		18 75
D. S. Wolfe	"	2.	Bowser & Co	Bridges		42.66
W W Wade						
Morgan V Beach						
J. A Lee						

No further business Council adjourned to Council in course.

Read approved & signed this 26 Sept 1871

Attest,

Sam P. Freeman

City Clerk

Mayor.

CITY CLERK FORT WAYNE
Reg. No. 226
Regular Session
Dec 26th 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment; present: His Honor, Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Zaglmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (17) Absent (none).

Minutes of last regular and adjourned session read approved and signed

Petition for Lamp posts at both ends of Harrison st bridge

Petition received from Jacob Zaglmeyer and 30 others, praying that Lamp posts be erected at or near each end of the Harrison Street Swing Bridge.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Gas.

Petition of Bowser & Co to erect Platform Scales

Petition received from J. C. Bowser and Co., praying that said firm be permitted to erect Platform scales on Harrison street fronting their new boiler shop, for the purpose of weighing boilers &c.,

Which petition was referred to Com on Streets, with authority to act in the matter as they deemed expedient

John Hamilton to put down his own sidewalk & for further time:

Petition read from John Hamilton praying Council for permission to put down his own Sidewalk on Wayne street fronting his lot, and also that he be given longer time.

On motion of Mr. Hogan the prayer of the petition was granted and petitioner allowed 20 days.

Report of Com Finance on purchase of wagon.

Committee on Finance reported adversely to purchasing Spring wagon for use of Com.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Com on Streets on Ordinance to construct Sidewalks on Lafayette from Butterfield st North

Your Committee to whom was referred the Ordinance for the grading and planking of sidewalks on the East side of Lafayette street between Butterfield to the North side of Lot 109 in Lasselles Addition to Fort Wayne would report in favor of postponing the passage of said Ordinance until next spring

A Hanna
H. Stoll
} Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:

Reports of Comm on Streets on petition of Mrs Kleber.

Committee on Streets submitted the following.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Nancy A. Hartman, beg leave to report adversely to the same, and they fail to see that the petitioner has so far, in any way whatever, sustained any loss or damage on account of the close proximity of the old grave pit to her property Your Committee would however recommend that the Street Commissioner be instructed to fill said pit a few feet on the North side, so as to prevent the alley from caving in

A. Harris Chairman

Which report was concurred in

Com on Streets on Sidewalks prayed for by Dierstein et al.

Com on Streets submitted the following;

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of C. Dierstein and others asking for an Ordinance to order the grading and planking of Sidewalks on Fairfield Avenue, west side from George Street to the T.W. & W. RR. track; Also on George Street both sides from Fairfield Avenue to Broadway, beg leave to report in favor of the same. The sidewalk on Fairfield Avenue to be no less than six feet wide planked, and on George Street four feet wide, and that the Street Commissioner be instructed to give 15 days notice to the owners thereof, to have said walks done, and in default thereof, that he should proceed to cause said work to be done and have the owners charged for the same.

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets, submitted the following

Com on Streets on Obstruction in Brownsville

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the report of C.C. & in relation to obstruction of alley running North and South in Brownsville, report that they have carefully examined the above mentioned premises, that the obstructions to the alley at the North end of Lot 50 Brownsville in Bloomingdale should be removed and recommend that the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owner of said lot 5, to move within ten days his fence on a line so as to make said alley ten feet wide.

A. Harris
Henry Stoll
Jas Hogan
} Committee

Which Report was concurred in by the Common Council

Reports of

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council.-

Gentlemen:-

Committee on Streets in vacating alley west side of Bass & Hanna's Add

Your Committee to whom was referred a proposed ordinance to vacate five feet on the West side of the alley running North and South on the West side of Bass and Hanna's Addition would report that said alley is now some twenty feet wide - not wide enough for a street & wider than necessary for an alley, therefore your Committee would report in favor of said vacation as the same will be a great accommodation to the owners of property on the West side of said Alley

A Harier,
Chairman

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted following

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council:-

Gentlemen:- Your Committee on streets and alleys to whom was referred the proposals for grading and planking the alley between Main & Columbia streets from Clinton to Calhoun street would recommend that the contract for said work be awarded to Charles Pape he being the best bidder therefore

Proposals to grade & plank Pearl st alley

Respectfully,
A Harier,
H. Stoll } Comm Sts
T. Hogan

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council,

Gentlemen:-

Proposals to grade & plank Sidewalks on S. side Wallace

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several proposals for grading and planking the Sidewalks on the South side of Wallace street from Calhoun street to Lafayette St, would respectfully report that they find that Messrs O'Brian and O'Neil matter are the lowest and best bidders for said work & would recommend that the contract be awarded to said firm.

Respectfully
A. Harier
Henry Stoll } Com on Sts
T. Hogan

Reports of Committees

which Report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

To

Messrs Carier Keegan & Stoll;
Committee on Streets,
Gentlemen:-

The undersigned propose and will, if the Contract be awarded us number all the houses within the City limits for the sum of

On Proposal to re-number houses

Twenty-three (23) cents, each,
and for all sub-divisions in the City limits for the sum of
Nine (9) cents each, sub-division
And we further agree to make a complete Register of all said Numbers and Sub-divisions in a substantially bound book and present the same to the City for their future use. All in accordance with the City Ordinance governing the same, last past.

D. W. Campbell,
E. D. King,

The undersigned Committee on Streets accept the above propositions and recommend that the contract be awarded to the said D. W. Campbell and E. D. King,

A H Carier,
Henry Stoll, } Committee,
Tim Keegan,

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council:-
Gentlemen:-

On L. Gerke petition

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition of L. Gerke protesting against re-constructing Sidewalks on Wallace Street in asking for the privilege of building Brick walk instead of Plank beg leave to report that after careful examination of the premises they deem said Sidewalk to be of necessity and recommend that said L. Gerke owner of Lot 52 Hamiltons 2nd Addition to Fort Wayne be allowed to lay a brick walk without delay on the North side of said lot.

A H Carier
Chairman Comm on St.

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted following

Reports of

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council.

Gentlemen:

Common Council
Petition of
J. C. O'Rourke
to gravel alley

Your Committee to whom was refered the petition of J. C. O'Rourke, et al, asking for the graveling of the alley running North & South from Lewis to Brackenridge Street between Ewing and McClellan Streets, beg leave to report in favor of said graveling and recommend that said graveling be ordered by Ordinance or otherwise, all of said costs to be paid for by the property owners on each side of said alley.

A. H. Harris, Chmn
Com on Sts

Which report was concurred in.

Special Committee submitted the following:-

To the Common Council.

Gentlemen,-

Special Committee on Keelly Water Works asking further time

Your Committee appointed to confer with Mr. Richardson in regard to constructing "Keelly Water Works" in your city report "Progress." That owing to sickness and the absence of some of the Committee do beg of you further time in order that they may obtain such information as is necessary to fully represent it.

D. T. Kearns, Chmn

Which report was rec'd and placed on file and further time granted.

Councilman Bradway offered the following:-

Instruction for Keelly Estimates

Resolved, That the C. C. E. be instructed forthwith to prepare an Estimate in favor of Shaffer & Greibel for grading and graveling Lewis Street from Poe & Calhoun streets: Also Estimate in favor of John W. Sangster for grading & graveling Douglas Avenue from Calhoun st to Harrison sts: Also in favor of John W. Sangster for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne st from Fulton to Union sts. Also in favor of C. W. Lindley & Co. for grading and graveling Calhoun Street from the T. W. & W. R. R. track to the city limits south. Also Estimate in favor of P. O'Brian & Chas Fleetwalter for grading and planking Sidewalks on Maumee Road, from Harmar to College streets.

Rockhill

In accordance with instructions C. C. Engineer submitted First Estimate allowed Shafer & Greibel for grading and graveling Lewis Street from Barr street to Calhoun made at 23 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the graveling.

Estimates for grading Lewis St from Barr to Calhoun

Name of Owners	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Amount for Grading		Total		Addition
Emerine J. Hamilton, Andrew H. Hamilton, Montgomery Hamilton, Henry M. Williams, Mary H. Williams, Ellen Hamilton, Margaret S. Hamilton	A tract of land commencing at the S.W. corner of Barr St & Lewis St. thence South along Barr St to Holman Street thence West along Holman Street 437 feet thence North parallel with Barr Street to Lewis thence E. along Lewis 437 to place of beginning		437	181	35	181	35	
" "	The W½ of	190	85	35	27	35	27	Hannas
Mary & Louis Letter	The East ½ of	190	85	35	27	35	27	"
Fred'k Menovich	" " " "	199	81 9/10	33	86	33	86	"
Henry Moellering	" West " "	199	102	42	33	42	33	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,

Approved, September 26th 1871,

Attest, Sam'l Freeman, City Clerk.

C. E. Brackenridge
C. C. Engineer.

Which Estimate was allowed and parties instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate,

grading Lewis from Clinton to Calhoun

C. C. Eng. submitted the following Estimate as per instructions, allowed Shaffer & Greibel for grading and gravelling Lewis street from Clinton street to Calhoun street made @ 23 cents per cubic Yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the gravelling.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Amount for Grading		Total		Addition
Andrew H. Hamilton	Commencing at a point where the W line of Clinton St would intersect the S line of Lewis St thence South 150 feet thence West parallel with Lewis Street 230½ ft to alley thence N along alley 150 ft to Lewis St thence East along the South line of Lewis 230½ feet to place of beginning		230½	95	65	95	65	
George Schott		123	130	53	95	53	95	Hamilton 3rd "
Roman Catholic Cathedral		189	116	48	14	48	14	Hannas
" " "		271	256	106	24	106	24	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an Order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved September 26th 1871. C. B. Brackenridge

Attest, Dan'l P. Freeman City Clerk. C. C. Engineer,

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C. C. Engineer submitted following 1st Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for grading and graveling Douglas Avenue from Calhoun street to Harrison street, made at 28 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 8 cent, per lineal foot for the graveling.

Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment FOR Grading		FOR Graveling		Total		
John W. Cartney		1	150	24	00	66	75	90	75	Brackenridge
" "		2	46	7	36	20	47	27	83	"
Wm. S. Pratt		3	44	7	04	19	58	26	62	"
James. M. Gibbons		4	44	7	04	19	58	26	62	"
Charles. E. Morse	the E 27 1/4 feet of	5	27 1/4	4	36	12	12 3/4	16	48 3/4	"
" " "	" W 45 1/2 " "	6	45 1/2	7	28	20	24 3/4	27	52 3/4	"
B. R. & Sophia Nolt	" 21 1/2 " "	5	21 1/2	3	44	9	56 3/4	13	00 3/4	"
" " "	" E 3/4 " "	6	3 1/2		52	1	44 3/4	1	96 3/4	"
Charles Taylor & George & Joseph Brackenridge	North 1/2 of No 3 A tract of land Commencing at the North West corner of lot No 54 in Brackenridge add'n thence W 241 1/2 feet thence South 134 feet thence East 241 1/2 feet thence North 134 feet to place of beginning	54	150	24	00	66	75	90	75	"
		241 1/2		38	64	107	46 3/4	146	10 3/4	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with and Order of the Common Council of city of Fort Wayne,

Approved September 26th 1871 C. B. Brackenridge

Attest: Dan'l P. Freeman City Clerk C. C. Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted following 1st Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for grading and paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Fulton Street to Broadway, made at Fifty-nine (59) cents per lineal foot for the curbing and Seventy (70) cents per lineal foot for the grading and paving

6 Annuale for sidewalks on Wayne. from [illegible] Fairfield Ave

Owner's Names	Description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment For Curbing		For Paving		Total		
C. F. Müller		12	24	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	Ewings
" " "	East 5 feet of	11	"	5	2	95	3	50	6	45	"
Trinity Church	West 45 " "	11	"	45	26	55	31	50	58	05	"
" "	East 5 " "	10	"	5	2	95	3	50	6	45	"
Sallie A. Evans	West 50 feet of	10	"	50	29	50			29	50	"
" " "		9	"	55	32	45			32	45	"
" " "	East part of	8	"	20	11	80			11	80	"
John Brown	West " "	8	"	13	7	67	9	10	16	77	"
" "	" " "	93		47½	2	70	3	20	5	90	Rockhill
" "		94		50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
Cyrus W. Allen		1	25	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	Ewings
" " "		2	"	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
" " "	East 1 foot of	3	"	1		59		70	1	29	"
Alfred Hattersley	" 44 feet of	3	"	44	25	96			25	96	"
Martin Ferkel	West 10 " "	3	"	10	5	90			5	90	"
" "	East 25 " "	4	"	25	14	75			14	75	"
Jacob Becker	West 30 " "	4	"	30	17	70			17	70	"
" "	East 25 " "	5	"	25	14	75			14	75	"
Wm. L. & Sophia J. Sulser	W 30 " "	5	"	30	17	70	21	00	38	70	"
W. G. Schaffer	Fil part of	134	"	32½	19	22	22	80	42	02	Rockhill

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved September 26th 1887. C. S. Brackenridge
Attest Jam's Freeman City Clerk. C. C. Engineer.

Which estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate

Estimate for S. W. in Wayne

In compliance with instructions C. C. E. submitted first Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for grading and paving with brick & curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Jackson to Union street, made @ 59c per lin ft for the curbing & 70c per lin ft for [illegible]

Owner's Names	Description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment FOR Curbing		FOR Paving		Total		
Rhoda & D. M. Webb		107	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	Rockhill
Joseph L. Donahoe		108	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
John Morris		109	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
" "		110	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
Catherine Hartman		121	-	50	29	50			29	50	"
L. R. Hartman		120	-	50	29	50			29	50	"
Emeline McCartney		119	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"
" "		118	-	50	29	50	35	00	64	50	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of City of Fort Wayne.
Approved September 26th 1871 C. B. Brackenridge C. C. Engineer
Attest Sam R. Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and Auditor ordered to pay contractor as per Contract 2nd Estimate

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted following First Estimate allowed C. W. Lindley for Grading and Paving with Brick, and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Union to Rockhill Street, made at 59 ¢ per lineal foot for the curbing and 70 cents per lineal foot for the grading and paving.

Owners Name	Description	Lot	Number of Feet for Curbing	Assessment for Paving	Total	
Diantha & C. B. Woodworth		111	50 29 50	35 00	64 50	Rockhill St
J. L. Potter	East ½ of	112	25 14 75	17 50	32 25	"
James Welding	West " "	112	25 14 75	17 50	32 25	"
" "		113	73 43 07	51 10	94 17	"
Henry Helmkamp	East ½	117	25 14 75	17 50	32 25	"
J. H. Reitz	West ½ of	117	25 14 75	17 50	32 25	"
Wm. H. H. Weigh		116	50 29 50	35 00	64 50	"
James S. Pierce		115	50 29 50	35 00	64 50	"
M. V. B. Spencer		114	348 20 53	24 36	44 89	"
" " " "	Fractional lot W of lot 114	154	8 97	10 64	19 61	"
Mary R. Tyler		188	127 74 93	88 90	163 83	"
J. W. Coombs		190	50 29 50	35 00	64 50	"
Orson Warning		189	50 29 50	35 00	64 50	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne
Approved Sept 26 1871 C. B. Brackenridge C. C. Engineer
Attest Sam R. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and Auditor ordered to pay contractor as per Contract 2nd Estimate

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted following Fourth Estimate, allowed C. W. Lindley & Co for grading and graveling Calhoun street from the T. W. & W. R. R. to the South limits of the City Grade at 29 & 31 cents per cubic yard for the grading and Eighty three cents per lineal foot for the graveling.

Williams Street to Dawson Street.

Estimate

Rec'd Augr 1st, of all the parties interested in and about the Cole Pit grading & gravelling the grading

Names	Description	Number	Yards in Grading		Yards in Gravelling		Remarks
Emerine J. Hamilton Andrew H. Hamilton Montgomery Hamilton Henry M. Williams Mary M. Williams Ellen Hamilton Margaret S. Hamilton	Commencing at a point on the E. line of Calhoun Street opposite the S. " " Williams Street thence E. parallel with said S. line of Williams St 365½ feet thence N. parallel with Calhoun St 355½ feet thence West 365½ ft to Calhoun Street thence South along the E. line of " St 355½ feet to place of beginning		355½	53 32	147	53	200 85	
John Inman		1	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	Williams
John H. Bass		2	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	"
" "		3	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	"
Hulda Johnson		2	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	Johnson
" "		3	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	"
" "		4	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	"
John M Kinnan		5	50	7 50	20	75	28 25	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved Sept 26 1871 — C. S. Bracken Engr

Attest Sam R Reed City Clerk — C. C. Engineer

Which estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

Estimate

In accordance with instructions City Civil Engineer submitted following Fourth Estimate allowed C. H. Findlay & Co. for grading & graveling Calhoun Street from the T. W. & W. R. R. to the South limits of the City, made @ 29¢ & 31¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 63¢ per lineal foot for the graveling.

Names	Description							
Emerine J. Hamilton Andrew H. Hamilton Montgomery Hamilton Henry M. Williams Ellen Hamilton Mary M. Williams Margaret S. Hamilton	A tract of land commencing at the South East Corner of Hamilton and Calhoun Street thence East along the South line of Hamilton St 365½ feet thence South parallel with Calhoun Street 355½ feet thence West parallel with Hamilton Street 365½ ft to Calhoun Street North along Calhoun Street 355½ ft. to place of beginning	355½	53	32	147	53	200	85

Hulda Johnson	1	49⅓	7	45	20	61	28	06	Johnsons
Ann S. E. Cour	2	50	7	50	20	75	28	25	Brand & Ayres
Dennis B. Stroke	3	50	7	50	20	75	28	25	" "
John McKinley	4	47½	7	13	19	72	26	85	" "
John D. Wente	5	47½	7	13	19	72	26	85	" "
Lawrence Markey	6	47½	7	13	19	72	26	85	" "
Dennis B. Stroke	7	47½	7	13	19	72	26	85	" "

I certify that the above estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved Sept 26/71

Attest Saml R Freeman City Clerk

C. J. Brackenridge
C. C. Engineer.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and Parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract 2nd Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. Submitted the following First Estimate allowed Chas. Streetmaker 2/3 P. O'Brien for Grading 2/3 Planking Sidewalks on Piqua Road from College to Elm Streets. Grading made at Twenty Seven (27) Cubic Yards. Planking @ Twenty Seven (27)¢ per lineal foot

		Value of Assessment for Grading		Value of Assessment for Planking		Total		Action
	Lot	Feet						
Peter Stein		90	10	89	24	43	3	62
Julia Cour		44 11/11	4	84		00	16	48
From Elm Street to Oak St.								
[illegible]	81	52 [illegible]	2	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]		Granted
[illegible]	80	52 [illegible]	2	6	14	00	16	61
Philip Bachtold	78	52 10/11	2	61	14	00	16	61
C. Courdant	77	52 9/11	2	61	14	00	16	61
[illegible] Taylor	76	52 8/11	2	61	14	00	16	61
Fred Zaske	75	52 7/11	2	61	14	00	16	61
From Oak to Hanna St.								
C. C. C. [illegible]	8	52 [illegible]	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible]	82	52 [illegible]	3	64	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible]	83	52 [illegible]	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible] Conrad Dreily	84	52 9/11	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible]	85	52 6/11	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible]	86	52 [illegible]	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
[illegible]	87	52 [illegible]	3	6 [illegible]	14	00	1 [illegible]	6 [illegible]	
From Hanna St to Brown St.									
P. [illegible]	1	52 [illegible]	3	12	14	00	14	2 [illegible]	
A. H. Carter	100	52 4/11	3	12	14	00	14	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	52 [illegible]	3	12	14	00	14	2 [illegible]	
" "	[illegible]	52 [illegible]	3	12	14	00	14	2 [illegible]	

H. Lucas									
C. L. Lucas									
" "									
		97	52	3	2	11			
		96	52	3	12	10			
		95		3				7	

I certify that the above estimate is correct and made in Accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved Sept 26 1871

Sam R. Freeman City Clerk

C. B. Brackenridge

C. C. Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract 2nd Estimate.

Estimate for 2nd Maumee

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted the following First Estimate allowed Chas. Streelmathers 2nd P. O'Brien for grading and planking Sidewalks on Maumee Road from Division St. to Harmer Street. made at Twenty Seven (27) cents per Cubic Yard for the Grading and Twenty Seven (27)¢ per lineal foot for the planking

Horace Hanna Est									
" "									
" "									
" " "									
" " "									
" " "									
" " "									
		6	55 24/11	14	35	14	90	29 25	Hanna Addition
		5	53 24/11	14	35	14	90	29 25	
		4	55 24/11	14	35	14	90	29	
		3	55 24/11	14	35	14	90	29 25	
		2	55 24/11	14	35	14	90	29 25	
		1	115 60/11	30	36	31	20	61 47	736.97

Received This Estimate in full this 9th day of July 1874

J. H. Gather

Assignee of Streelmathers & O'Brien

In Certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order from the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved Sept 26 1871

Sam R. Freeman City Clerk

C. B. Brackenridge

C. C. Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract 2nd Estimate

Estimate for grading & gravelling crossings

C. C. Engineer [illegible] Estimate for [illegible]

C. W. Lindley ordered for Grading & Gravelling Crossings on Calhoun South of T. W. & W. R. R.

Certificate for Grading Street Crossings

Estimate for Gravelling Street Crossings

Estimate for S. W. crossings on

Certificate for Grading Street Crossings

I hereby certify that I have carefully measured the work done by Contractor [illegible] for Grading Street Crossings on Harrison Street from Dawson to Williams Road, and find the same to be correctly stated in the above account.

Grading

[illegible] Street	36 feet @ 6 cts foot.	2 16
[illegible] "	[illegible] " "	3 14
[illegible] "	[illegible] " "	3 64
[illegible] "	[illegible] " "	3 64
[illegible]	[illegible] @ 3 cts	15 00
[illegible]	[illegible] @ 3 cts	6 00

Planking

[illegible] Street Crossing		0 72
[illegible] " "		15 66
[illegible] " "		15 66
[illegible] " "		15 66
[illegible] Harrison Road		29 16
[illegible]		30 66
[illegible]		5 00
[illegible]		3 42

Certified Correct
C. B. Brackenridge

Which Estimate was approved & allowed C. C. Engineer

Certificate for Grading Street Crossings

I C. C. Engineer submitted the following Second Estimate in favor of [illegible] for Grading & Gravelling Four Street Crossings from Dawson to [illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible] yards @ 25	47,50
[illegible] Street Crossing	53 " " 25	1.00
[illegible] to Carbon	323 " " 25	80.75

Gravelling

[illegible]	[illegible]	.74
" "	" " [illegible]	.65
[illegible]	[illegible] @ 3	31.62
[illegible]	[illegible]	4.65

Certified Correct
C. B. Brackenridge

Which estimate was approved & allowed C. C. Engineer

Estimate for S. W. crossings on

I C. C. Engineer submitted the following Final Estimate in favor of P. Doyle for planking Sidewalk Crossings on Harrison Street Dawson to [illegible]

Alley between Dawson & Williams Grading .84

24 ft Planking
City [illegible] Grading
28 feet Planking
Street Grading
6 feet Planking

Certified Correct
C. S Backenidge
City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and clerk instructed to issue city orders to the amount stated in said Estimate

Affidavit for precept McKay vs Starkey for pave Berry st

City Clerk presented an affidavit of Neal McKay, contractor for paving gutters and grading & gravelling Berry street from Calhoun street to Harrison and praying that a precept be issued against ~~20~~

The 20 ft East of the W. 40 ft of Lot 103 Original Plat to the City of Ft Wayne, owned by Orlando L. Starkey to secure the sum of $25,30

Which affidavit was read and ordered placed on file & clerk instructed to issue the precept prayed for.

City Clerk presents the following.

To the Mayor & Common Council
Gentlemen.

Dept of Clerk asking for instruction in relative to paying for grading

At the last session of your Hon Body a resolution was adopted & and passed to the effect" that the property holders on Calhoun Street South of the Rail Road be exempted from paying [illegible] Grading of said street and that Grading be paid for out of the funds the City" We [illegible] one of the Contractors came to the City Clerks office on the 15th inst and requested me to pay him but I refused to do so, on the grounds that the ordinance plainly stated that said grading should be paid for by the owners of property bordering on said street and that the resolution above spoken of was not the proper mode as no ordinance can be amended by an Ordinance

Yours Respectfully
Chas B Beecher
City Clerk

which was received and the same ordered placed on file

Affidavits Langohr vs Lyons, Taber Worl

City Clerk presented 8 affidavits of John W. Langohr contractor for Grading paving with brick and Curbing of the Sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Calhoun Street, West and praying that a precept be issued against
Lot No 12 Block 23, Ewings Add owned by Henry P Ayres to secure the sum of 64

Affidavits on

Lot No 11 E/2, Block 25, Ewings Add. owned by Henry Payne, to secure the sum of 32.25
" " 7 " 23 " " " " Charlotte A. Tabor " " " " " 64.50
" 4 " 15 " " " " " " " " " " 64.50
" " 7 " 21 " " " " " " " " " " " 64.50
" " 10 " 22 " " " " " " " " " " " 70.95
S of S.D. of Lots 485 486 487 488 Hannas " " " Louis Wolkie " " " " " 11.80
" " 1 " " " " " " " " " " " " " 53.10

Which affidavits were recd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

St Commissioner on Side Walks granting property of Jno A. Colerick, Jno J. Miller, Louis Miller, Phillip Schiffgerken & City of Ft Wayne, crossing of Bass & Main

Street Commissioner submitted the following:-

		Lot	Feet	Flagging	@		
Jno A. Colerick	Mid 20 ft	66	20	1944 ft	35¢	67.90	Old Plat
Jno J. Miller	Sub. Div 1	65	20	"	"	67.90	"
Louis Miller	" " 3	"	20	"	"	67.90	
	E 20	"	20	"	"	6790	"
Phillip Schiffgerken	W "	66	20	"	"	6790	"
City of Ft Wayne, crossing of Bass & Main						35.00	"

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:-

I have in compliance with your orders caused a stone sidewalk of flagging to be constructed in front of the above described property, the cost of such walk is opposite the several lots.

B. L. P. Williard
Street Commr

I certify the above walk has been constructed according to grade
C. J. Brackenridge
C. C. Engineer

Which report was received and the same ordered placed on file

Ordinance to vacate alley in Block 1 of Bass & Hannas Add'n.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to vacate a part of an alley along the West side of Bass and Hannas Addition" was read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bell, Bauer, Beesauer, Bosshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shyock, Tremmel, Taglauer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (10) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

Ord. to extend Wayne St 2d reading

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open and extend Wayne street from its present Eastern terminus East of the City was read a Second time.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to prevent the erection of Stationary

Ordinance concerning erection of Stationary Engines

Steam boilers and engines within certain limits was introduced & read first time. On motion of Mr. Hogan the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

On motion the Ordinance was referred to Committee on Fire Dept- in conjuction with City Attorney.

To grade & gravel Alley between McClellan & Ewing from Lewis to Brackenridge

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and gravel the alley between McClellan ~~Street~~ and Ewing ~~Street~~ from Lewis street to Brackenridge street, was introduced by Mr. Carier read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Hogan, the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, ~~Bull~~ Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, ~~Stoll~~, Shryock, ~~Tremmel~~, Tagtmeyer, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson 15 Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. Mr. Hogan moved that the rules be again suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Schoepf Stoll, Tremmel, Underhill, Wadington & Wilson (12) Nays Dessauer Morgan, Shryock & Tagtmeyer (4). So the rules were again suspended and Ordinance read a third time now The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Broadway, Bull, Carier, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Schoepf, Stoll, Tremmel, Underhill, Wadington, & Wilson (12), Nays Dessauer Morgan, Shryock & Tagtmeyer (4). So said Ordinance was passed.

Resolution for Levy of Taxes

The Committee on Finance submitted following Resolved, that the [illegible] of the City of Fort Wayne as returned by the City Assessor for the year 1871 and subsequently equalized by the Common Council of said city the following rate of Taxes on each One hundred (100) Dollars Valuation as follows, to-wit:-

For	City	Purposes	Thirty (30) Cents
"	Interest on Public Debt		Thirty Three (33) "
"	School		Fourteen (14) "
"	Sinking Fund		Eighteen (05) "

Resolutions

Making a total of One Dollar and twenty five cents on the One Hundred Dollars Valuation; and also that there be levied a Poll Tax of [illegible] cts on each and every male inhabitant of said city who is sane and not a pauper and of the age of Twenty-One (21) years and not exceeding fifty (50) Years and also a tax of two Dollars on each male Dog and of five Dollars on each Female Dog be taxed to and paid by the Person owning or harboring such Dog.

Geo. H. Wilson.
J.W. Bull
[illegible]

St. Commissioner to furnish help to Chf Engr.

Councilman Waddington offered the following.
Resolved that the Street Commissioner furnish help to fill cisterns when called on by the Chief Engineer.
[illegible]

to exempt W. Hinebert

Councilman Hogan offered the following
[illegible] that W. Hinebert on the corner of Irving & George Street be exempted from putting down a Side Walk on said lot as he has complied with the the order of the Street Commissioner & put down his side walk last Spring
Which Resolution was referred to the Committee on Streets

St. Commissioner to put down alley crossings.

Councilman Hogan offered the following
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be authorized to put down a crossing on the Alley on the North Side of Baker Street between Calhoun Street and Harrison Street on the North Side of said Street.
Which resolution was adopted

St. Commissioner to put Crossing on Baker.

[illegible] offered the following
Resolved That the Street Commissioners be instructed to put down a Crossing on Baker Street & McLellan which is necessity.
[illegible]

St Commission to change gutter on Polar St

Councilman Schoepf offered the following.
Resolved. That the Street Commissioners be instructed to change the gutters on Poplar Street so as to prevent the water from washing away the side-walk and fences.
Which resolution was adopted.

Owner of Lot 36 [illegible] is Additional

Councilman Schoepf offered the following.
Resolved, That the owner of lot No. 36 in Chute & Price's Addition be allowed further time to repair the sidewalks bordering on said lot.
Which resolution was adopted.

Resolutions

St Commissioner to notify owner Lot 2 Oakleys add to plank S.W.

Councilman Schoeff offered the following:
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of lot No. 2, in Oakleys Addition to construct a four foot plank sidewalk opposite said lot on Taylor street within 10 days from date of notice.
Which resolution was adopted.

to Plank S.W. on Lafayette regardless of grade

Councilman Goshorn offered the following
Resolved that the work of putting down plank sidewalk on the East Side of Lafayette Street Between Coleman Street and P. F. W. & C. R. R. be and the same is hereby ordered without reference to the regular grade of Street and that the Street Commissioner notify the property owners of this Resolution and upon failure to comply with in Ten days time the Street Commissioner proceed put down the same.
Which resolution was adopted.

Treasurer to collect for S.W.

Councilman Carey offered the following:
Resolved. That the City Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to collect from the following named persons the respective amounts opposite their names for Construction of stone flagging fronting the lots owned by them.

John A Colerick	mid. 20 ft of	lot 66	Old Plat		67.90
John J. Wilkinson	East	15	"	"	67.90
Geo. Wilkinson	"	3 "	65	"	67.90
"	"	East 20 ft	"	65 "	" 67.90
Philip Scheffenstein	West	20 ft	"	66 "	" 67.90

Gas Main pipes to be erected

Committee on Gas offered the following:
Be it resolved by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne that gas main pipes be extended on the following Streets to wit:-
Calhoun Street East to the Corporation Line
" " " West " Rockhill Street
" Jefferson " East " Harmer " "
" " " West " Rockhill "
" Lewis " East " Harmer "
And that Lamp posts be erected at the different crossings of Streets and alleys on said Washington, Jefferson and Lewis Streets in the usual way, that lamps be placed alternately on the North and South sides of said streets, and that the City Clerk be instructed to forthwith notify and request the Gas Company of the passage of this resolution and to have said main pipes and lamp posts erected as speedily as possible.
[illegible]
[illegible]
John A. Coleman
(Adopted) Which resolution was adopted
Councilman Carey offered the following

Resolution [illegible] grading [illegible] Douglas Avenue [illegible] proposal for grant. be assessed and paid by the city [illegible]

Which Resolution was adopted,

Councilman Schywock offered the following

Resolved: That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to order the sum plus sidewalk [illegible] to be laid from [illegible] to be constructed on North side Cars street Addition to the City of Fort Wayne Between the Bridge and Lot 59

Councilman [illegible] offered the following;

Mr. B. Reed permitted to build Swing Bridge

Resolved:- That B. Reed be allowed the privilege of Building a swing Bridge across the Canal at the Crossing on Van Buren Street at his own expense Said Bridge to be built under the Supervision of C. C. Engineer.

Councilman Stall offered the following

Legal notice

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to give legal notice to the property owners to open Douglas St from Bowserville to Barthold Street in 3 days.

Which resolution was adopted,

Councilman [illegible] offered the following

Com. on Hyd. Walsh Water to visit cities

Resolved: that the Committee apointed to confer with Mr. Richardson on Holly Water Works are hereby authorized to visit Dayton & Indianapolis

Upon Motion no action was taken on the above resolution this present sitting but referred to Council at next Meeting 16th Inst.

Mr Washington Chairman of Committee on Fire Department desired to know what action said committee should take in reference to purchase of Hose. C. Watson of Mr Carey said committee were authorized to purchase 500 feet of the Hose Manufactured at Akron Ohio also 500 feet of the Boston Make

The following bills were then allowed

3 [illegible]	Wards	54 00	P. [illegible]	Wards	23
Henry Taylor	"	30 00	John Swagne	"	23
[illegible]	"	24 00	[illegible]	"	29
[illegible]	"	4 00	[illegible]	"	4
[illegible]	"	36 00	[illegible]	"	18
Emil Renot	"	36 00	Michael Noon	"	15
John Bonfoi	"	22 00	Thomas Welsch	"	18
Henry Stier	"	24 00	Robert Graham	"	11
John Lynch	"	24 00	Henry Brown	"	2
Henry Schopman	"	24 00	Wm Reid	"	10
Con Cull	"	24 00	James Ryan	"	8

J. G. [illegible]	Streets						
Wm. Busse	"	172	18				5 00
Bulenmeister & Becher	"	373	33				6 71
Nicholas Bentz	"	3	50				10 00
Thomas Kelly	"	5	00			" "	5 45
Daniel McKendry	"	27	00			" "	21 75
[illegible] McNiels		2	50			" "	1 00
Wm. Martell	"	12	50				3 00
[illegible]		12	50				2 00
G. Buslager	"	4	71				

On Motion Council adjourned to Thursday evening the 26th inst.

Read, approved and signed in open Council this 10th day of October A.D. 1871

Attest

Jas. P. Freeman Clerk

M. D. Randall
Mayor

CITY FORT WAYNE
Adjourned
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Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present. Mayor Robinson & Councilmen Bradway. Bull. Carier Decamp. Dessauer. Hogan. Morgan. Schaefer. Stoll. Shypock Trimmel. Zeigenmeyer & Underhill. (10) Nays (0)

Common Finance on levy 1871

Councilman Decamp Reported that the Levy for the year 1871 be fixed at 5. M. Council Rest the following. Be it Resolved. That the Auditor at the last meeting of the Council of the Common Council the sum to be levied on the taxable property of the City of Fort Wayne for the Year 1871 on each One Hundred Dollars valuation as amended as follows

Resolution for levy 1871

For general purposes	(3.60 C.)	57c
" Interest on Public Debt	(33 1/2 C.)	32c
" Schools	(13.50 C.)	13c
" Sinking fund	(8.000)	16c
		1.12

that a poll tax of one dollar be levied on each and every male inhabitant of said City over the age of twenty one years and not a pauper and under the age of fifty (50) years and a tax of five dollars upon each dog and of 5 dollars on each Sporting dog to be paid by the person owning or harboring said Dog.

Councilman Bull offered the following amendment

For General purposes	57c
" Interest on Public Debt	32c
" Schools	13c
" Sinking fund	8c
	1.10

which was lost

The Council then voted on the call as follows

Carier. Dessauer. Hogan. Morgan. Schaefer. Stoll. Shypock Trimmel. Zeigenmeyer & Underhill. (10) Nays Bradway Bull. Goshorn & Robinson. (4) So the Levy was made a (1.12) on the One Hundred Dollar Valuation

Resolution to postpone work on Ferry

Councilman Bull offered the following

Resolved, By the Common Council that it is not deemed expedient to complete grading & Gravelling of West Berry Street this year further than from Harrison Street to Webster Street on the Uncompleted square

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular
Special

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present, His Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Cairn, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Nolte, Shuyck, Trentman, Tagtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (14) Absent Schmidt Tower & Wadington (3)

Minutes of last regular & adjourned session read, approved and signed.

Re Widening Hill & Cedar Street

Petition read from Maurice Cody & James Donnen, representing that they by order of the Common Council several years ago, constructed a sewer 140 feet long on Baker street, at a cost of $1080. they therefore pray Council to re-imburse one half of the amount, as the city assumed 50% of the cost of the Baker street constructed some time after.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Sewers.

Petition of Casper Merkle for pay of horse.

Petition read from Casper Merkle praying that Council shall him damages amounting to $225. for death of horse, and damages to buggy and harness on account, he alleged, of bad condition of streets.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Of Jno J Miller overwrong assessment

Petition received from Jno J Miller representing that Lot No 50 Hanna's Addition was erroneously assessed in comparison to lots immediately adjoining, and praying that Clerk be instructed to correct said assessment.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

To have Dogs licensed

Petition read from Peter Smith and numerous other citizens praying Council to pass an Ordinance requiring all dogs to be licensed

Which petition was referred to Com on Finance

For reducing of assessment on P.P. of Prouty Bro.

Petition received from Prouty Bro representing that the assessor had for the year 1870 returned the amount of their personal property at too high a figure, and they prayed that same might be assessed at $2000, instead of 5000. Ref. to Com on Finance

Ordinance to grade & gravel alley from

Remonstrance read from Fred Reinking and 20 others praying that the Ordinance to grade and gravel the alley from Lewis to Brackenridge street between McClellan & Lewing street, be laid on

Petitions from

Louis to Brackbye

Matt. Bet. McLellan

Ewing

the table, representing that about 3 years since they the petitioners had said curb done.

Mr. Taglmeyer moved that the prayer of petitioners be granted. Which motion, on the ayes and nays, resulting in the affirmative as follows, Messrs Morgan, Doll, Shryock, Taglmeyer, Underhill (5) Nays, Broadway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan and Tremmel. (7). So the prayer of petitioners was not granted

On motion the petition was accepted and ordered placed on file.

J. H. Droegiemeyer

to prevent removal

of church.

Petition, recd from Jno. H. Droegemeyer and C. J. Jacobs, representing that certain parties were about to remove the old Church building, formerly owned by the St Johns congregation, and petitioners prayed that said parties be restrained from so doing unless the party or parties removing the same gave good security in case damage was made to their property.

Which petition was referred to the Councilmen of the 3d Ward with authority to act as they deemed best.

Reports of

Com on Streets

Committee on Streets reported adversely to resolution of Mr. Hogans exempting that M. Heimbert be exempt from constructing sidewalk fronting Gerge street.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets, submitted the following

To the Hon. Mayor,

and Common Council,-

on amending

Ord. for Street

Rail Road

Your Committee to whom was referred an Ordinance already passed at 2d reading authorizing the construction and operation of the proposed Street Rail Road beg leave to report in favor of the same being passed to its 3d and final reading, provided that Section 4 of said Ordinance, relating to exemption from taxation for three years, be stricken off and the Ordinance be so amended as to not contain said Section 4.

All Clearier, Chrmn

Street Committee

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted following report.

on pet of

Bowser & Co

to erect Scales

To the Hon Mayor

and Common Council,-

Your Committee on petition of J. C. Bowser & Co. asking for permission to erect Plat-form Scales on Harrison street near Water report favorable to the granting prayer of said petition

A. H. Carier, Chrmn Comm on Sts

/

ich report was concurred in.

Committee on Sewers submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor

and Common Council:-

We, your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the petition of John Taylor, et al, for a sock sewer in alley between Wayne and Washington street, to connect with the Wayne Street Sewer would report such improvement necessary, but would recommend that the construction of said sewer be defered until spring as the season is too far advanced to commence work this fall and complete the same and leave the street in good order for the winter.

Signed: } D. D. Goshorn, / T. Hogan, / D. D. Goshorn. } Committee

/Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Sewers submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor,

and Common Council.

We, your Committee on Sewers to whom was referred the petition of A. J. Emerick asking for the extension of Griffith & Pearl street Sewer be connected with the culvert under the Wabash Erie Canal would report that such improvement is necessary and that the property owners be at the expense of said improvement as in other cases where sewers are constructed.

(signed) D. D. Goshorn, / T. Hogan, / Jno B. Morgan. } Committee

/Which report was concurred in.

City Attorney presented the following Contract Bond and Specifications of Charles Streitmatter and Patrick O'Brian, reading in these words, and figures to-wit:-

CONTRACT

This Contract, entered into this 28th day of September, A.D. 1871, by and between Patrick O'Brian and Charles Streitmatter of the first part, & the city of Fort-Wayne of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part agree to grade and plank the sidewalks on the South side of Wallace street from Calhoun street to Lafayette street for the following prices to-wit:-

For grading per cubic yard twenty-nine (29) cent; For planking per lin-

eal foot Thirty (30) cents. Said amounts to be collected by the parties of the first part at their own expense from the owners of lots and lands adjoining and fronting upon said sidewalk according to Sections 68, 69 70 and 71, as provided by law, except the crossings of streets and alleys which shall be collected by the city of Fort Wayne, in city orders bearing six per cent interest, And said parties of the first part agree that they will do said work strictly in accordance with the specifications of the City Civil Engineer, hereunto attached and made a part of this agreement; and said parties of the first part that they will complete said work on or before the 28th day of October 1871, and on failure to do so the Common Council shall be allowed to let the work to other parties.

It is expressly understood that payment is to be withheld so long as any sum to laborers remain unpaid, and that there shall be no assignment of this contract without permission of the Common Council, the contractors to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley not exceeding a distance of half a mile as shall be directed by the City Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction

Witness, Our hands and seals this 28th day of September A. D. 1871

Allen Zollars City Attorney
E. D. Brackenridge C. C. C.

Charles D. Tretemattes [Seal]
Patrick O'Brien [Seal]

SPECIFICATIONS.

For grading and planking the sidewalks on the South side of Wallace Street, from Calhoun Street to Lafayette Street:

GRADING.

The above Sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded to a width of 10 feet according to the line and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1/2 to 1.

The material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the contractor, at his own expense, to some spoil- not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work, and disposed as directed by the Street Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or sand, free from perishable substances, and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the cubic yard of Excavation; provided that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavation.

PLANKING.

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound clear, free from sap, or other defects. The planks to be 2 inches thick, six inches wide and 4 feet long, and spiked to the stringers with four inch spikes, 4 spikes to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long, and be laid 3 feet apart.

The said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section One, Chapter Eight, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort-Wayne, which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property, by reason of the construction of said work and they shall assume and be liable for such injury, if occasioned, and defend at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages, which may be brought against him, or the city of Fort-Wayne, arising under these Specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer, on or before the 15th day of October 1871

Proposal.
(Here Insert)

BOND.

Know all men by these Presents, - That we, Patrick O'Brien, Charles Steelmatter John Taylor & William Manthy, of the county of Allen, and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, the Payment whereof, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Patrick O'Brien and Charles Steelmatter shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 29th day of September 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written

Charles Steelmatter (Seal)
Patrick O'Brien (Seal)
Wm Manthey (Seal)
John Taylor. (Seal)

State of Indiana
Allen County

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the City of Fort-Wayne, on this

Twenty Eighth day of September 1871, the above named Patrick O'Brien, and Charles Steelmatter and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond for the purposes therein expressed.

Witness, my hand and Official Seal, the day and year aforesaid

H. K. Randall, Mayor.

Which Contract-Bond and Specifications were assigned [illegible] ordered placed on file.

Councilman Dorrian offered the following:

Resolution for Sundry Estimates

Resolved, That the C. C. & be instructed forthwith to [illegible] Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindley & Co. for graveling Calhoun street from the T. W. & W. R. R. to the South limits of the city; also [illegible] John W. Langohr for graveling Douglas Avenue from Webster to McClellan street; also for graveling Douglas Avenue from Webster to Webster streets; also one in favor of John W. Langohr for curbing, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wilson street from Rockhill to Bellevue street. Also in favor of Patrick Boyle for grading and planking the sidewalks on Walnut street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley street; also in favor of [illegible] for grading and planking sidewalks on Ewing street from Washington street to Jefferson street.

In accordance with above resolution C. C. [illegible] the following

5th Estimate in favor of graveling Calhoun st

Fifth Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindley & Co. [illegible] for graveling Calhoun street from the T. W. & W. R. R. to the South limits of the city made at 29 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 5 3 cents per lineal foot for the graveling Hamilton Street to Wallace street

Names.	Description	Number of Feet Front	Assessment	Damages	Remarks
Lucius Wilcox		71.47½	1967	1967	Hamilton St
Fred H Scheumann		70.47½	1967	1967	"
James M. Dennis		[illegible]	1967	1967	
Harriet Bryant		54.57	20.45	20.45	
William Miller		53.57	20.45	20.45	
John H. Berke		52.50	20.75	20.75	
Emily C. Clay		1.57	20.45	20.45	Grand Ave.
Dennis B. Strope	50 X 150 Ft.	50	20.75	20.75	"
Arthur Whitehead	40 X 150 "	40.	16.60	16.60	
John M. Will	A tract of land, commencing at a point 91 feet North of the N.E. corner of lot No 1 in Brandriff's Add: thence N. along the W. line of Calhoun St. 174½ ft to alley thence W. along alley to Harrison St. thence S. along Harrison st. 174½ ft. thence E. to place of beginning.	174.2	7241	7241	

I certify that the above Estimate is Correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne.

Approved October 1871

Attest D. Finch Jr City Clerk.

C. D. Brackenridge

C. C. E.

Which Estimate

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties instructed to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Estimate for grading & gravel in Calhoun

In accordance with instruction C. C. E. submitted following Sixth Estimate allowed E. W. Spindler & Co. for grading and graveling Calhoun street from the T. & W. & W. R. R. to the South limits of the city, made at 29¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 83 cents per lineal foot for the graveling.

From Wallace Street to the P. F. W. & C. R. W.

Name	Description	Number of Lot	Feet	Grading	Total	Addition
Fred L Barthold		3	50	20 75	20 75	Swits
James McCarthey		2	50	20 75	20 75	"
Timothy Hogan		1	50	20 75	20 75	"
"	110 ft So. of T. W. & W. R. R. & fronting on Calhoun		110	45 65	45 65	
Murray & Baker	A tract of land 176 x 150 ft commencing at the N. E. cor. of Wallace street & fronting on Calhoun st.		176	73 04	73 04	
Toledo Wabash & Western R. W. Co.	44 feet on the East side of Calhoun Street adjoining the North line of the property occupied by Timothy Hogan described above		44	18 26	18 26	
	Also 83 feet on the West side of Calhoun street adjoining the North line of Grand Street.		83	34 44	34 44	

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an Order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved October 10 1871

Attest D. Finch Jr City Clerk

C. D. Brackenridge

C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. allowed John W. Langohr for grading graveling Douglas Avenue from Harrison street to Webster street made at 28c. per cubic yard for the grading and 89 cents per lineal foot

Yerba Buena,

Names	Description	Lot	Front Feet	Assessment for Grading	Total	Remarks
Estimate for grading & graveling Douglas Av. E. B. & T. P. McCullough		7	49½	22		
C. S. Smith		8	49⅓	22		
William H.H. Miller		9	49⅓	22		
William Elzold		11				
Fred. W. Heine		11	49⅓	22		
William Keil		12	49⅓	22		
Ja[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
F. K. Reiter	West 2[illegible]	13				
T. A. Reiter		14	49⅓	22		
Elizabeth Lawrence		37	49⅓	22		
J. McNutt Smith		36				
Hannah Lo[illegible]		[illegible]				
James Sonn[illegible]		[illegible]				
Frederick Traul		[illegible]				
Christ Kimmel		32				
Gollieb Fradenheim		31				
William Dammier		30				

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with the Ordinance of the City of [illegible]

Approved October 10th 1871 C. S. Bruckbridge

Attest, David Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C.C.& submitted herewith Estimate allowed John M. Laughlin for grading and graveling Avenue from Water Street to the Golden Gate made up to the 2[illegible] cubic yard for the grading and 89 cents per lineal foot for graveling.

Estimate for grading & graveling Douglas Av.

Names	Description	Number of Lot	Feet Front	Assessment for Grading	Total	Remarks
John W. Wefel		29	45	20 00	20 00	[illegible]
John Steiner		28	45	20 00	20 00	
Oscar N. Hinckle & John M. Godown		27	45	20 00	20 00	
" " " " " "		[illegible]	45	20 00	20 00	
C. F. Meyers		15	45	20 00	20 00	
Ellen Simonton		16	45	20 00	20 00	
Ernest Badda		17	45	20 00	20 00	
John M. Klein		18	45	20 00	20 00	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne

Approved October 10th 1871, Chas. D. Brackenridge

Attest, Sam'l Freeman City Clerk C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C. C. C. submitted following First Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for grading and paving with Brick and curbing the side walks on both sides of Wayne Street from Rockhill street to College Street made at 59 cents per linear foot for the curbing and seventy cents per linear foot for the grading and paving.

Estimate for Bill on Wayne from Rockhill to College

Names.	Description	Numbers of Lot	Numbers of Feet	Assessment For Curbing	Assessment For Paving	Total	Addition
William W. Fairfield							
Isaac D. B. Rockhill	Heirs of the Estate of William Rockhill	206	50	29 50	35 00		
Hugh M. Rockhill		207	"	29 50	35 -		
Howell C. Rockhill		208	"	29 50	35		
Do Do	Do. Do	209	"	29 50	35 -		
Do Do	Do Do	210	"	29 50	35 -		
James A. Fay		211		29 50	35		
Do Do		212		29 50	35		
F. A. Gorham		213		29 50	35		
Emily Rockhill		214		29 50	35 -		
Do Do		215		29 50	35		

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne,

Approved October 10th 1871, Charles D. Brackenridge

Attest, Sam'l Freeman, City Clerk C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

In accordance with instructions received from the Common Council City Civil Engineer submitted the following First Estimate allowed Patrick Boyle for grading and planking the Sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley Street made at Twenty-nine (29) cents per cubic yard for the grading and Twenty-seven (27) cents per linear foot for the planking.

			Number		Assessment- For Grading	For Paving	Total	Additions
			Lot					
P. Doyle	Jacob C. Bowser.	East half of	16	25	2 -	6 87	8 87	Mistake
	E. Glass	West " "	16	25	2 -			"
Estimate	Catherine Shea		9	50	4 -	13 74	17 74	
Jm "	Patrick Kelly		10	"	4 -	13 75	17 75	
D.W. on c	Francis Russell		37	37	2 96	10 17	13 13	
Walnut	August Friday		36	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	
Pat Doyle	Bernard Fuchs		35	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	
P Doyle "	James Hughes		34	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	"
P Doyle "	Jacob Kline		33	35	2 80	9 62	12 42	"
P Doyle "	Daniel Opliger		32	"	2 80	9 62	12 42	
P Doyle "	Barbara & Peter Hendler		31	"	2 80	9 62	12 42	
P Doyle "	Julius [illegible]		31	"	2 80	9 62	12 42	
	Christian Busse		7	150	12 -	41 [illegible]	[illegible]	
	Jacob J. Weber.		38	37	2 96	10 17	13 13	
P Doyle "	James A Fay		39	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	
P Doyle "	Francis Bott		40	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	
P Doyle "	John Greer		41	40	3 20	11 -	14 20	
P Doyle "	" "		12	46 3/4	3 74	12 85	16 59	[illegible]
P Doyle "	George W. Main		11	46 3/4	3 74	12 [illegible]	[illegible]	"
	Isaac N. Keinian		10	46 3/4	3 74	12 [illegible]	[illegible]	

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I certify that the above Estimate is correct and [illegible] with an order of the Common Council of the City of [illegible]

Passed [illegible] 1871

Attest. Saml. Freeman City Clerk. C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and Warrant ordered to issue [illegible]

Cost of Grading and Paving Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C.C.C. submitted [illegible] W. Sheridan, D. Marks, & T.E. Sheridan. Assessors for grading and flagging with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from Washington street to Jefferson street made at 34 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 4½ cts per Lineal foot for the flagging.

Estimate for Grading Ewing from Washington to Jefferson

					Assessment- For Grading	For Paving	Total	Additions
C.W. Lindlay		6	29	150	5 50	70 550	76 00	Ewing
Fred Raab.		7	..	150	5 50	70 50	76 00	
B.J. & M. Peters		1	[illegible]	"	5 50	[illegible]	76 00	
Nicholas Harber		12	"	"	5 50	[illegible]	[illegible]	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Approved, October 10th 1871, C. F. Brackenridge

attest, Daniel Freeman City Clerk, C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and Parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract & Estimate.

Estimate for putting Underpinning & brick

C. C. E. submitted First Estimate for grading and gravelling crossings on Calhoun street crossings on Calhoun Street from T.W. & W. R.R. to City limits in favor of C. W. Lindley & Co.

To grading from Highland Street to T.W. & W. R.W		175	50	
" Street-Valley crossings		68	40	
" Gravelling		1	5924	
" 2 culverts at Butler street	3077 feet	95	39	528 53
(15 percent to be retained until further orders.)				

I Certify the above Estimate correct

C. F. Brackenridge

C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and city clerk ordered to pay contractor as per Estimate aforesaid.

Estimate for 5 crossings on Wayne

C. C. E. submitted Final Estimate for paving and curbing sidewalk crossings on Wayne street, in favor of J. W. Langohr,

To curbing from Jackson street to College street 319 lin. feet @ 63¢		200	97	
" 11 Round corners @ $6.00		66	00	
" 456 lin feet of brick sidewalk from Calhoun to College @ 70		319	00	
" Rebuilding the Harrison Street sewer Sand-pits as per bill rendered,		27	20	613 17

I certify the above correct

C. F. Brackenridge

C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate

Chief Engineer of the Fire Department recommended that the following amounts be paid the following named person for remaining on duty at the Engine House on the 9th inst.

Charles Lagitz	3.00	Joe. Eshler	3.00	H. Reiner.	3.00
Sam Mack	3.00	Jos Aubrey	3.00	Jno McDonald	3.00
A.M. Pulsiper	3.00	C. Rivers	3.00	J. Oppenheimer	3.00
R. Crane	3.00	T Meegan	3.00	H Hogan	3.00
Mills	3.00	Gergie	3.00	T Woods	3.00
P Shrader	3.00	J. Yahn	3.00		

Which report was concurred in and City Clerk instructed to issue City orders to above named persons the respective amounts,

City Clerk asked for instruction [illegible]
against the [illegible]
[illegible] Ordinance.

City Clerk presented a report stating that owing to the short
time he had [illegible] in which to carry out the publication [illegible]
he was unfilled to have more assistance, and recommending that
that Council only gave him the [illegible] the 25 inst, and that
he be allowed assistance to assist him.

Clerk asking for assistance

Which report was granted, and the Clerk authorized to obtain
such assistance where to employ 3 [illegible] during [illegible]

City Treasurer's report [illegible] Delinquent
Treasurers Report No 5

[illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] for
the month ending Aug 31st [illegible] $ 17[illegible]
And Collected from Delinquent taxes 31[illegible]
" Liquor Licenses [illegible]
" General [illegible]
" First End Market [illegible]
" Sidewalk 2[illegible]
" House End [illegible]
Orders discounted by Finance Committee [illegible]

On which he claims credit by orders [illegible]
[illegible] "
Coupon [illegible]
Leaving a balance in Treas. of $6,621.54

Which report being entered to the Committee on Finance was
[illegible] Orders and [illegible] Warrants ordered [illegible]
[illegible]

City Clerk presented Affidavit of [illegible]
Affidavits of Filing Liens
To Be Copy
[illegible] stating that [illegible] filed
the West 20 feet of Lot No 74 (174 ft) owned by Thomas W [illegible]
Part [illegible] $ 157.50
for [illegible] sidewalks constructed on Main [illegible]
[illegible] per order of Common Council

Which Affidavits were [illegible] and ordered filed on [illegible]
Clerk ordered to [illegible] Kept [illegible]

Also. an other against
the 47 ft. of Lot No 8. Brandriff & Hynes Add owned by Thomas W [illegible] for the [illegible] $ 24.[illegible]
for planking the sidewalk fronting said lot by Street [illegible] per order of [illegible] Council.

Motion carried on roll call and Board fixed a fee and Clerk instructed to issue the receipt prayed for.

City Marshal submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor
and Common Council;

Gents:-

Report of Marshal on riot on 4th inst.

At a public meeting held at the Court House on the evening of the 4th inst. by sundry tax payers, a resolution was adopted instructing the City Marshal and Chief of Police to put on an extra force of patrolman of sixteen in each Ward to guard against the ravages of a fire, in case one should break out,- I called on the Chief of Police, but he refused to recognize the authority and obey the order. Deeming it expedient to carry out the instructions I put a force on. Below are the names of those detailed,

2nd Ward,	Joseph Clark,	p.	Robert McTrain,	p.
4th "	A. Reiling,	Patl	Jno Rutan,	p.
5th "	Jno Korn	p	Peter Zitsman,	
6th "	Chas Daggitz Sr		Jno Baumen	
8th "	H.C.F Westrumb		Tozenhoser	
9th "	Fred Starke		John Rohlke.	
7th "	I learned that			

Jno Tremmel P. J. Mettler Jno Landgraff V. Ertel Adam Koch
Jno Klinc

were patroling said ward, and were duly detailed from Rescue Fire Co. No 6, one of the officers of said Co.

I would recommend that each of the above be paid $2.00 for their service.

Respectfully,
Chas. Uplegger
City Marshal.

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to issue city orders to each of said parties the sum of two dollars.

Ordinance amended

An Ordinance (H.I.) authorizing the construction and operation of the Citizens Steel Rail Road of Fort Wayne, Ind. was amended on motion by striking out the words:

"The lines of Rail-road constructed by said Company and the equipments thereof, shall be exempt from taxation for three years immediately following their completion,"

of Section 4; and read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass as amended? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Cavey, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hamm, Hogan, Morgan, Stoll, Thycck,

Ordinance to Extend Wayne St

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open and extend Wayne Street from it present Eastern terminus East of the City limits and read a Second time and on motion laid on the table

Ordinance for S. Wall on North Water St

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalk on the North side of Water Street from Wall to Barnes Street was introduced and read a first time and on motion laid on the table and ordered to be read a second time. Thereupon on the question [illegible] Ayes, [illegible], Nays, [illegible], [illegible] Absent, [illegible] Said Ordinance was ordered to be read a second time.

St Commissioner to construct crossings

Councilman Coshow offered the following Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct crossings on alley at the intersection of [illegible] and [illegible] Street, [illegible] between Wayne and Berry Streets

[illegible] was adopted

Clerk to report bonds of Street Improvements

Councilman Conier offered the following Resolved:- by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, that the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to report to this Council as soon as practicable the Assessments with the necessary connecting papers against the Lots and Parcels of land [illegible] Canal Basin and Wayne Street,

Which Resolution was Adopted.

Treasurer to tender $100.00 Stoddard

Councilman Stall offered the following.

Whereas at the last meeting meeting of the Council a petition was presented praying for the [illegible] Street from [illegible] to the Canal Basin and that said petition contained the names of the requisite number of petitioners and that the Board of Public Works had assessed the benefits and damages at the sum of Three Hundred Dollars and [illegible] Dollars now therefore be it Resolved that the City Treasurer be instructed to tender said sum of [illegible] Dollars to [illegible] the benefits and damages assessed against and awarded to said parties.

Councilman [illegible] moved the adoption of said resolution which was carried by the following vote, Ayes [illegible] Nays [illegible] Absent [illegible] Said Resolution was declared adopted.

an assessment list and the Clerk and Treasurer be instructed to proceed to collect said one Hundred dollars as provided by section 65 of the City Charter.

Which resolution was adopted. Stoll offered the following

H. Commissioner to construct bridge on gutter

Resolved. that the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct a bridge on the gutter on the East side of Barthold street and immediately opposite the alley running East along the South end of lots 1.2 & 3 in Popes Addition

Councilman Stoll offered the following

To construct bridge on gutter on West side of Wells st

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct a bridge over the gutter on the West side of Wells Street and immediately opposite the alley running West on the North side of Langhoors Addition

Which resolution was Adopted

Proposals for grading & graveling alley running N. & S. bet. McClellan & Ewing

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by City Civil Engineer to grade and gravel the alley running North and South between McClellan Street and Ewing Street from Lewis street to George street, were opened and read as follows

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:

	C.W. Lindsay	J.W. Langohr	Paul O'Connell	Wm Shenden
For graveling with clean coarse River gravel 12 inches deep & Ten ft wide (including rolling) per lin ft.	57	36	.55	1.50
grading per cubic yard of Excavation including rollings	35	33	.38	

Same awarded

On motion the Contract for said work was awarded to J.W. Langohr.

The following bills were then allowed.

B.I.P. Williard	Streets	54.-	Jno Lynch	Streets	24-
H.C. Taylor	"	2750	H. Schopman	"	24-
Patrick Burns	"	24-	Con Cull		24-
N. Thompson	"	27	P. Luxemburger	"	24-
E. Renol	"	28.50	E. Tonay	"	24-
J. Bonfoi	"	20-	I. Renol	"	4-
H. Stier	"	24	Jno Swayne	"	17-

Ernest Linker	Streets	23—	Meyer [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Michael Noon	"	24—	C.V. Allen		25 11
Thos Welch	"	20—	H [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mathew Porter	"	17½—	The [illegible]		[illegible]
Jas Murphey	"	14—	C [illegible]		[illegible]
Robt Graham	"	23—	J.F [illegible]		[illegible]
Jno Selegg	"	18½—	C [illegible]		[illegible]
Henry Brown	"	8—	[illegible]		[illegible]
Wm Reed,	"	8—	J.A. [illegible]		[illegible]
Jno G. Whitehead	"	21—	E.H. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sutermeister Beckert & Co	"	3850	J.H [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Danl McKendry	"	27—	G Bulanger	[illegible]	[illegible]
Frank McNulty	"	12,50	M [illegible]		[illegible]
Brandriff & Roberts	"	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Krudop & Moellering	"	241 40	[illegible]		[illegible]
			C. Trammel		[illegible]

City Teamster 2

Bill of Krudop & Co fractions referred to Clerk

A Bill in favor of Krudop & [illegible] for [illegible] on Wyoming Street, and one on Lafayette Street amounting [illegible] and discount amounting to $67— [illegible] referred to City Clerk, and if found correct that [illegible] to issue order for the same.

Read, adopted and signed this 24th day Oct 71

Attest.

Thos F Freeman,
City Clerk

G. P. Randall
Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session

Council pursuant to adjournment Councilman [illegible] in the Chair, and Councilmen Bull, Carie, Dessauer, Goshorn, [illegible], Schoeff, Scholl, Shipock, Tower, Tremmel, Underhill and Wilson. 13. Absent: Bradway, Hanna, Saalmueyer & Wadington (4)

Whereupon Council adjourned to Wednesday evening Oct 25 1871

Read Approved & signed in open Council this 25 Day of October 1871.

Attest

Wm P. Freeman, City Clerk

Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met in adjourned session, pursuant to adjournment, present, Councilmen Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Scheff, Stoll, Stinyocks, Tower, Tremmel Jaglmeyer and Wilson (13) Absent Bradway, Lanna Underhill and Wadington (4).

Minutes of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition from Jas Fox to have time until spring to put down brick walk

Petition recd from Jas Fox, to have time until next spring to put down brick sidewalk fronting Lot 45 Brackenridge's Addition or Brackenridge, in place of have plank walk put down this fall as per Ordinance regulating the same.

On motion the above petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Rem. against assessing for S.W. on Walnut st.

Remonstrance recd from August Freitag and 20 others praying that the contractor for planking sidewalks on Walnut street had failed to comply with his contract by neglecting to make said walk as wide as was stated in the specifications.

On motion said petition was laid on the table.

From P. Hoag and etal to grade to River Bridge

Petition recd from P. Hoagland, B.W. Oakley, C. W. Oakley & H. H. Rossler praying that Main street be graded and graveled from Barr street to the Maumee River Bridge, to connect with the Maumee Avenue Turnpike.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Streets

From L. Brown, Lend to have until spring to put down flagging

Petition recd from P. Hoagland requesting that he be allowed until next spring to lay stone flagging fronting on Berry street, Lot 7, Block 19, Ewing's Addition, and therefore prayed that said lot be exempted in the ordinance to grade and pave with brick, the sidewalks on said street.

Mr. Morgan moved, said petition be referred to Committee on Streets. Which motion was lost, On motion of Mr Bull, the prayer of said petition was granted.

Report of Com on Finance on real Estate leased for K.K.

Committee on Finance submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

In accordance with a resolution passed at a regular session of the Council on the 22d of August 1871, we your Committee on Finance have procured the conveyance of the Real Estate reported by the Toledo Wabash and Western Rail

Way Company, for additional Shop Grounds to said Rail Way Company paying to the Grantors of said Real Estate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars in City Orders.

The deed conveying said land provides that in the event said Rail Way Co., removing said work shops from said location that the land revert to the grantors, in trust for the City, to be disposed of as the Common Council shall direct.

Your Committee further report that they procured the issuing of Fifteen Thousand Dollars in six per cent Bonds of the City of One Thousand Dollars each, payable in ten years after date, as the consideration of the enlargement and permanent maintainance of said shops and have deposited the same in the Fort Wayne National Bank ready for delivery to said Railway Company in accordance with arrangement made by your Committee under of the above named resolution with the agents of said Railway Company,

Geo. K. Wilson } Common.
J. H. Bull } Finance

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Finance submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

In compliance with a resolution passed at a regular session of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne held on the 22d day of August 1871, instructing the Committee on Finance to make the necessary arrangements for the permanent establishment and maintainance of the work shops of the Fort Wayne Muncie & Cincinnati Railway Company, on grounds described in said resolution. We, your Committee on Finance report that we procured the issuing of Fifteen Thousand Dollars in Six (6) per cent. Bonds of One Thousand each, payable as follows:- $5000 in three years; $5000 in four years; $5000 in five years from the date thereof; with interest, payable semi-annually and delivered the same to the Agents of said Railway Company. In accordance with the terms of a contract which is herewith filed and made a part of this report.

Geo. K. Wilson } Committee on
J. H. Bull } Finance.

This agreement made this 15th day of October 1871, between the City of Fort-Wayne, and the Fort-Wayne Muncie and Cincinnati Railroad Company.

Witnesseth That the said city of Fort-Wayne, as an inducement for the said Railroad Company to locate their principal construction & repair shops in the said city of Fort-Wayne, hereby donate to said Railroad Company Fifteen Thousand Dollars in the bonds of said city, payable in equal portions in three, four, & five years from the date thereof, that is to say $5,000 in

in three years; $5000 in four years; and $5000 in five years, all to bear six per cent interest payable semi-annually.

But said donation is made upon this express condition, that said sum of $15,000 or the proceeds of said bonds shall all be applied in the building and equipping of said shops within six months from this date, that said shops shall be located in the city of Fort Wayne at some point between the St. Marys river and the Canal feeder, and in case the said Railroad company its successors or assigns, shall ever remove its principal shops from said city or the principal machine work of said road shall ever be done at any other point out of said city of Fort Wayne then and in that case the said fifteen thousand dollars shall be repaid to said city of Fort Wayne by said Railroad Company its assignees and assigns,

And said Fort Wayne Muncie and Cincinnati Railroad Company hereby accept said donation of fifteen thousand dollars upon the conditions aforesaid, and hereby agree for itself its successors and assigns that said bonds shall be disposed of at the best possible rate and the proceeds thereof, shall be applied in building and equipping their shops at the place and within the time above specified. And in case the said shops are ever removed from said city or in case the principal machine work of said Railroad shall ever be done at any other point out of said city of Fort Wayne, said sum of fifteen thousand dollars shall be paid to said city by said Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, and should said Rail Road Company its assigns or successors ever have the principal work of said Rail Road done at any point out of the City of Fort Wayne, then and in that event, said city shall have a lien upon said buildings and shops erected in Fort Wayne, to secure the repayment of said fifteen thousand dollars together with interest on the same from the time of the delivery of the bonds aforesaid, and all costs and attorney fees in enforcing said lien.

W.W. Worthington, Voight & Kerr, & Co.
Fort Wayne, Muncie & Cincinnati R.R. Co.

Which report was concurred in and notice of agreement ordered.

Committee on Finance submitted the following:

Committee on finance

We your Committee on Finance to whom was refered the petition of Beaty &c. representing that they had been erroneously assessed for the year 1870, on Personal Property, and praying that a reduction be made would recommend that the assessment for the same be made to the amount they will return under oath before his Honor the Mayor, and the Clerk be

be instructed to order to the Treasurer the amount thus returned

Geo H. Wilson Com on Finance.

Which report was received.

Common Pub. Grounds on Petn. of Thos. Sweeny for rent of Ground

Committee on Public Grounds submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition for the use of the lot now occupied by the City as a Pound would respectfully report that we believe $30 per year would be a fair compensation for the use of said lot, when compared to the two adjoining immediately on the west, which rents for $5.00 per month We would therefore recommend that the City Treasurer be instructed to pay said rent quarterly out of the City Treasury at the rate of $30 per annum.

Jacob Hagel,
Conrad Reimmel,
Wm. Schoepf,
} Comm. Pub. Grounds

Which report was received.

The following report was read from Commissioners appointed to assess damages & benefits.

Commissioners

Gentlemen of the Common Council:-

Having had legal notice, to meet & assess the benefits & damages, accruing in opening & extending an alley ten feet wide from the South side of Wells Street, to the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, on the line between Lot No 1 in Edsall's Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, and certain lands adjoining said Lot on the West owned by Thomas W. Sweeny, said alley to extend to the middle of five feet on each side of said line, we have to report that in accordance with said notice we have this day met in the Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne and after having proceeded to an examination of the premises proposed to be taken in said extension and opening of said alley, we report and find

First, That the strip of land necessary to be appropriated in opening and extending said alley is of the value of $100,

Second, We find that no part of this should be borne by the City of Fort Wayne,

Third, We find that said Lot Number is owned by Augustus C. Beaver, and that the land on the of said lot is owned by Thomas W. Sweeny.

We find that said Lot Numbered One (1) is not damaged at all, but is benefitted in the sum of $50.

We find that land on the west side of said Lot through which said alley will pass and owned by said Thomas W. Sweeny as aforesaid is not damaged at all, but is not damaged at all

but is benefitted in the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50) It is a part of our report that the $50. reported as benefits shall go to pay for the lands taken.

We have viewed the premises and heard such testimony as we could procure to enlighten us in making the report.

All of which we now most respectfully submit

J. C. Davies — Chairman
Jno H Hill
R C. Fidler
Henry Tonn
B H. Trentman — Commissioners

Oct 25. 71

Which report was accepted.

Commission appointed to assess damages & benefits submitted the following:

To the Hon. Town Board of Town Council

Gentlemen,

Having had legal notice to meet and assess damages and benefits, which might result from the opening and extension of an alley ten feet wide, parallel with and adjoining the Pittsburgh Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company's right-of-way & across the North end of Lots Numbered 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8 & 9 in Edsall's Addition to the City of Fort Wayne, and across the north side of Lot Numbered 11, in Walls addition to said City, to the West side of Hood street; We have in pursuance of said notice, this day met in the Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne and after having proceeded to and examined the real estate proposed to be taken in the opening and extension of said alley, made all legal estimates, and do now report the result.

First. We find that the strip of land necessary to be taken and appropriated in the opening and extension of said alley is of the value of $410 That portion taken off of each lot being of the value of $30. except Lot No. 10 in Walls addition which with improvements is rended at 140

Second, We find that no part of this should be borne by the city of Fort Wayne.

Third. We find that Lot Numbered 1 in Edsalls addition is owned by Augustus C. Beaver; Lot No. 2 is owned by Fred Rhein; Lot No. 3 owned by Christian Nonneyer: Lot No. 4, owned by Jacob Zwellinger Lot No. 5 owned by David Reusler Lot No. 6 owned by Henry Rieter, Lot No. 7 owned by August Spiegel; the West half of Lot No. 8 owned by Aurora C. Kell, the East half of Lot No. 8 owned by Fred Barghorn: Lot No. 9 owned by Fred Schmidt and Lot No. 11 in Walls Addition owned by Barnhart Shilling.

Lot [illegible] is not damaged at all but benefitted in the sum of $30,
Lot Numbered 2 is not damaged at all, but benefitted in the sum of 40,
" 3 " " " " " " " " " " " " 40
" 4 " " " " " " " " " " " " 40
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" 6 " " " " " " " " " " " " 40
" 7 " " " " " " " " " " " " 40
W½ " 8 " " " " " " " " " " " " 20
E½ " 8 " " " " " " " " " " " " 20
" 9 " " " " " " " " " " " " 40
" 11 Walls addition is damaged in the sum of $140, and benefitted in the sum of $60. We have reported the lots in Edsalls addition not being injured but is our report also that $30 of the benefits collected from each lot shall go to pay for the land taken from it.

All of which is reported, after having viewed the premises.

Respectfully Submitted

[illegible]
H Hill.
H Kentman. } Committee
Chs Filson,
Henry Schime,

[illegible] 71

Which report was accepted.

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindley for planking Sidewalks crossings on Griffith street
112 lineal feet @ 30¢ $33,90
665 [illegible]
ing
[illegible] City [illegible]
C. H. Brackenridge C.C.E.

Which report was concurred in, & amt ordered to be paid contractor

C.C.E. submitted following Final Estimate in favor of C W Lindley for graveling Calhoun street crossings
112³ lineal feet wing crossings on Calhoun street from T.W. & W. R.R. to City limits 9,21

Which Estimate was allowed & clerk instructed to pay Contractor.

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate in favor of Schaffer & Goebel for Graveling Lewis street
146 Lineal feet wing crossings on Lewis street from Calhoun street to Hanna st @ 93¢ per foot 145,96

Constructing Manholes & Catch basin on S. W. corner Lewis and Lafayette 988 ft B. M. 29,80
For rebuilding culvert on South side of Monroe st 400 — 179,76

For 216 loads of earth sold a Lewis st by Schafer & Griebel on a/c of city 32,40
Amount due contractors $147,36

I certify the above correct.
C. B. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed & Clerk instructed to pay contractors.

C. C. E. submitted following Final Estimate in favor of [illegible] et al. for grading Sidewalks on Ewing street

Sidewalks Ewing

To paving on E. side bet Jefferson & Lewis 56 ft @ 47¢ per lin ft 26,32
" crossings 4 ft " " " " 1,88

" Grading 56 feet 2,80
" 4 " 20
" " N. S. to opposite Lewis 2,00 5,00

I certify the above correct
C. B. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed & clerk instructed to pay contractors

Alley [illegible] [illegible] Union [illegible]

C. C. E. submitted following Final Estimate in favor of Jno W. Langohr for graveling Alley crossings between McClellan Street & Ewing Street

Crossing of alley 10 ft 5 ins (grading) ,50
Graveling " " crossing @ 18¢ 1,80 2,30

I certify the above correct
C. B. Brackenridge
C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed & clerk instructed to pay contractor

Estimate [illegible] 5 W crossings on Wallace st

City Civil Engineer submitted following Estimate in favor of O'Brien & Steelsmelter for Crossing of Clinton st 50 ft grading @ 16¢ 9,00
For crossing of Barr st 60 ft @ 16¢ 9,60 Planking crossings on Clinton 50 ft @ 30¢ 15,00 15,00
Planking crossings on Barr st " " @ 60¢ 18,00 2 culverts on Clinton & Wallace, 1235 ft B. M. 37,00 55,35
Making approaches on Clinton st & altering channel 10,00
$97,65

I certify the above correct
C. B. Brackenridge C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed

Estimates

Crossings on Douglas Ave.

C.C.E. submitted following Final Estimate in favor of Jno W. Langohr for grading & graveling Douglas street.

For graveling crossings of alley Harrison street & Webster including wings 183 ft @ 89¢ 162.87

" grading from Harrison st. to McClellan st. including crossings 225.28

388.15

I certify the above correct

C. F. Brackenridge

C.C.E.

Which Estimate was allowed & Clerk instructed to pay Contractor

Retaining curbing

C.C. Engineer submitted following Estimate in favor of Intermeister & Co

For setting 548 lineal ft of curbing on Wayne street @ 6¢ 32.88

I certify the above correct, & the work done according to my orders.

C. F. Brackenridge

C.C.E.

Which Estimate was allowed & Clerk instructed to pay Contractors

Grading Berry st.

C.C.E. submitted following Final Estimate in favor Neil McKay for grading Berry Street between Harrison & Webster street.

To 359 C.Y. @ 34¢ $122.06

I certify the above correct,

C. F. Brackenridge

C.C.E.

Which Estimate was allowed and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor

Relative to C.C.E.

C.C.E. submitted following report:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:

I would respectfully report the following amount of dirt has been sold from the grading on Lewis street

To Jno Keough 325 loads @ 15¢. 48.75

" Thos Waverly 135 " " " 20.25

Total 69.00

And would recommend that the City Treasurer be instructed to collect said amounts,

Respectfully

C. F. Brackenridge

C.C.E.

Which report was concurred in, and Clerk instructed to certify to the Treasurer the respective amounts in order that same be collected in the usual manner.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-

Resolved,— That the C. C. C. be instructed forthwith to prepare Estimate in favor W. Sheridan & Co. for grading and flagging sidewalks on both sides of Ewing street from Jefferson to George street; also, Estimate in favor of P. O'Brien & Co. for grading & flagging sidewalks on South side of Ewing street from Clinton street to Barr street, & Barr st to Canal; also, Estimate in favor of Jno. W. Laughlin for grading the alley between McClellan & Ewing street from Lewis st to George st; also, Estimate in favor of E. W Lindsay, for grading and flagging [illegible] on the West side of Calhoun street from [illegible] street; also, Estimate in favor of [illegible] for grading & flagging sidewalks on the East side of Barr street from [illegible]

[illegible] CCC [illegible]

allowed W. Sheridan et al for grading & paving with brick, the S.W. on Ewing from Jefferson street to George street. made @ 34¢ per cubic yd for the grading & 1.50 per sq. yd for paving.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment for Grading	for Paving	Total	Total
William Fleming		1	33	93	3 65	30 51	34 16	[illegible]
[illegible]			—	51	2 05	19 97	[illegible]	[illegible]
Henry Pressler	N 30 feet of	2	—	30	1 50	14 10	[illegible]	
William Bruce	[illegible]	[illegible]	—	15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]		3	—	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible] H		[illegible]	—	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]		5		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]		[illegible]	—	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Rudolph Jasper		7	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
William Hilgeman		8	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
Henry Hilgeman		9	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
Ann E. Morgan		10	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
William McHail		11	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
Conrad Koekemeier		12	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
William Long		13	—	48	2 40	22 56	[illegible]	
Charles Castelhut		1	—	38½	1 92	18 00	[illegible]	
K. G. Muller		2	—	42	2 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	
John McKeehan		3	—	42	2 10	19 74	21 84	
Fred & Eliza Castelhut		4	—	42	2 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Louis Schnee		5	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
Ferdinand Meyers		6	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
William Bell		7	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		18	—	42	2 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]		9	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		10	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		11	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		12	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		13	—	42	2 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]		14	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	
[illegible]		15	—	42	2 10	19 74	[illegible]	

Estimate

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne
Approved October 25th 1871. C. D. Brackenridge
Attest) [illegible], Clerk C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered Contractors as per Contract & Estimate

In accordance with instructions C. C. C. submitted following Final Estimate in favor of Patrick O'Brien and Charles Streitmatter for grading & planking Sidewalks on South Side of Wallace street from Clinton street to Barr street & from [illegible] alley, made at 29¢ per cubic yard for the grading and thirty cents per lineal foot for the planking.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Lot	Number of Feet	Assessment FOR Grading	Assessment FOR Planking	Total	Addition
Eurenia [illegible] Hamilton		47	51½	8 24	15 45	23 69	Hamiltons 2d
[illegible] H. Hamilton		46	50	8 —	15 —	23 —	
[illegible] Montgomery Hamilton		45	50	8 —	15 —	23	
[illegible] Williams		44	50	8 —	15	23	
[illegible] ery H. Williams		43	50	8 —	15 —	23	
[illegible] Hamilton		42	50	8 —	15	23	
Margaret V. Hamilton		41	50	8 —	15 —	23	
		40	51½	8 24	15 45	23 69	
W		39	51½	8 24	15 45	23 69	
W. W Miller		37	50	8 —	15 —	23 00	
John Kramer	W/2 of	36	25	4	7 50	11 50	
Mary Herzenroder	E/2 "	36	25	4	7 50	11 50	
Catherine Mincell		38	50	8 —	15 —	23 —	

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne
Approved October 25th 1871 C. D. Brackenridge
Attest, Jam. P. Freeman, City Clerk, C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and parties ordered to pay Contractors as per Contract and Estimate

In accordance with instructions from the Common Council to my Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for graveling the alley between McClellan Street and Barr Street from Lewis Street to George Street made at Thirty three 1331 cents per cubic yard for the grading and thirty six cents per lineal foot for the graveling

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Owner's Names	Description	Number Lot	Number Feet	Assessment for Grading	Assessment for Graveling	Total	Remarks
Jogrammering			96				
Ph. McClutchan	Charles Stahlhut	1	35½	1 92	6 93	8 85	Whitings
from Louis to George	R E. Miller	2	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	John McKecham	3	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Fred & Eliza Stahlhut	4	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Louis Schmoe	5	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Ferdinand Meyers	6	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	William Roehlman	7	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Fred Reinking	8	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Ernest W. Tigges	9	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Hannah Shea	10	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	John Kutzell	11	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Hannah F. Heibler et al	12	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Ernest Schemmann	13	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Sophia & William Hortmeier	14	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	Henry Dammier	15	42	2 10	7 56	9 66	"
	George Good	30	37½	1 87	6 75	8 62	Spencers
	" " N/2	31	18¾	93	3 37	4 30	"
	Louis Traub S. 1/2	"	18¾	93	3 37	4 30	"
	" "	32	37½	1 87	6 75	8 62	"
	Jacob Hardheim	33	37½	1 87	6 75	8 62	"
	Ernest P. Buddemeyer S part	29	24	1 20	4 32	5 52	Brackenridge
	Henry Hilgeman	19	48¼	2 41	8 68	11 09	"
	Fred Hilgeman North part	20	24	1 20	4 32	5 52	"
	John C O'Rourke " "	21	24	1 20	4 32	5 52	"
	Edward O'Rourke, S. "	"	24	1 20	4 32	5 52	"
	Patrick J. O'Rourke,	22	60	3 —	10 80	13 80	"
	Charles Brandt	23	44⅔	2 23	8 04	10 27	"
	Rudolph Jaspers	24	44⅔	2 23	8 04	10 27	"
	" "	25	44⅔	2 23	8 04	10 27	"
	Solomon Cooper	42	45⅔	2 28	8 22	10 50	"
	Jacob Vandeman,	43	45⅔	2 28	8 22	10 50	"
	William Rogge.	44	23	1 15	4 14	5 29	"

I Certify that the above Estimate is Correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved, October 25th 1871. C. S. Brackenridge,
Attest, Sam'l Freeman, City Clerk. C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted following Final Estimate allowed

Christian W. Luidlag for grading and planking the sidewalks on the West side of Calhoun Street from Lot No. 1 Williams Addition, to the South limits of the City made at 30¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 27½ cents per lineal foot for the planking.

Williams Street to Butler Street.

S. W. on W. side of Calhoun

Owners Names	Description	No of Lot	No of Sect	Assessment for Grading	Assessment for Planking	Total	All
Jesse L. Williams		45	50	4 –	13 75	17 75	Williams
John M. Kinnan		46	50	4 –	13 75	17 75	"
Rupert Crum		47	50	4 –	13 75	17 75	"
D. S. Warner		48	50	4 –	13 75	17 75	"
Nicholas DeWald		49	50	4 –	13 75	17 75	"

I Certify that the Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Approved October 25th 1871. C. S. Brackenridge

Attest. Danl. P. Freeman City Clerk, C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed, and parties ordered to pay contractor as per Contract and Estimate,

In accordance with instructions C. C. E. submitted following Final Estimate allowed Christian W. Luidlag for grading and planking the sidewalks on the West side of Calhoun street from Butler to Creighton Avenue, made at 27½ cents per lineal foot for the planking, and 30¢ per cubic yard for the grading.

Owners Names	Description	No of Lot	For Planking	For Grading	Total
Jesse L. Williams	A tract of land bounded on the North by Butler street; on the West by Harrison street and Webster street; and on the South by Creighton Avenue; and on the East by Calhoun Street.	686	169 20	55 04	244 24

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved, October 25th 1871, C. S. Brackenridge

Attest, Dan'l P. Freeman, City Clerk, C. C. E.

Which Estimate was allowed, and party ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

C. C. E. submitted following Contract & Bond of Jno W. Laughlin for grading & graveling alley, reading in these words & figures to-wit:-

CONTRACT.

Contract of J. W. Langohr for grading [illegible] Alley

This Agreement, Made and ~~concluded~~ this 18th day of October, A. D. 1871, between John W. Langohr of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana, party of the first part, & the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the payments to be to them made, as hereinafter set forth, hereby covenant and agree to grade & gravel the alley running North and South between McClellan street and Ewing ~~street~~, from Lewis street to George street, according to the terms of the proposal hereunto attached and made a part of these presents, to wit:-

For gravelling per lineal foot Thirty six (36) cents,
" grading " cubic yard Thirty three (33) "

Said amounts to be collected by said party of the first part at his own expense & cost, from the owners of property bordering on said alley.

Said party of the first part further agrees to complete said work to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer, on or before the First day of November 1871.

In testimony whereof, we, the foregoing parties hereunto set our hands, the day and year above written.

John W. Langohr (seal)

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

E. D. Brackenridge, City Clerk.

Proposal. (Ut. Supra.)

BOND.

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, John W. Langohr, and Julius Kabisch of the County of Allen, and State of Indiana are held, and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of One Hundred Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above Obligation are such that if the abound John W. Langohr, shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered this 18th day of October, 1871 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain full force and virtue in law.

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John W. Langohr (Seal)
Julius Kabisch (Seal)

State of Indiana,
Allen County, }

Personally appeared before me, Mayor of the city of Fort Wayne, on this 19th day of October 1871, the above named John W. Langohr and Julius Kabisch,

and severally acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Bond, for the purposes therein expressed.

Witness my hand and Official Seal, the day and year aforesaid.

F. P. Kandall

Mayor.

Which Contract and Bond were approved.

City Clerk presented 7 affidavits of Patrick OBrien of the firm of OBrien & Steelmatter, Contractors for grading & planking sidewalks on Maumee Road from Division street to Harmer street. and praying that precepts be issued against-

Lot No. 1, Hannas Partition Addition to secure the sum of $29.25

" 2 " " " " " " " " " 29.25

" 3 " " " " " " " " " 29.25

" 4 " " " " " " " " " 29.25

" 5 " " " " " " " " " 29.25

" 6 " " " " " " " " " 29.25

" 7 " " " " " " " " " 61.27

owned by Alice Hanna, Jessie E Hanna, Samuel D. Hanna, Horace W. Hanna, Charles H. Hanna, minor heirs of Horace H. Hanna, deceased.

Which Affidavits were recd and ordered placed on file and clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Clerk also presented an affidavit of John W. Langohr, contractor for construction of an 18in crock sewer in alley between Main and Columbia streets from Calhoun to Clinton street. and praying that a precept be issued against the West 10 feet of the East 20 feet of

Lot No. 56. O.P. owned by Jacob Kline to secure the sum of $14.18

Which affidavit was recd and ordered placed on file & Clerk instructed to issue precept prayed for.

Also Affidavit of John W. Langohr contractor for grading sidewalks on Wayne street, from Calhoun street west, and praying that precept be issued against-

Lot No. Block 76 Ewings Addition, owned by John Hamilton, to secure the sum of $32.45

Which affidavit was recd and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precept prayed for.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalk on the south side of Water street from Barr street to Harrison street, was read a third time. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Currier, Dessauer, Keegan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Thyjock, Tower, Trenmel, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to amend an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the construction and operation of the Citizens Street Railroad", was introduced

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and read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Stoll the rules were suspended to allow the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. Mr. Stoll moved that the rules be again suspended to have the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Carier, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (8) Nays Bull, Dessauer Hogan & Tremmel (4) So the rules were not suspended.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to provide for the Funding of City Orders and issuing Orders in lieu of those surrendered, was read a first time, (being introduced by Committee on Finance) On motion of Mr. Morgan, the rules were suspended to hear Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (12) Nays (none,) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. Mr. Carier moved that the rules be again suspended; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (11) Nays Dessauer (1). So the rules were not suspended.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalk on the East side of Cass street from the St. Marys Bridge to the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Railroad was introduced by Mr. Shryock and read a first time. On motion of Mr. Shryock the rules were suspended to have the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (12.) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and ordinance read a second time. The same gentleman moved that the rules be again suspended to hear the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tagtmeyer and Wilson (10) Nays Tremmel (1), Not voting Mr. Hogan (1) So the rules were not suspended.

Mr. Dessauer desired to change his vote in the affirmative of suspending the rules to hear the Ordinance to provide for the Funding of City Orders &c. which permission was given by consent of the Council, and the rules suspended and Ordinance read 3d time now, the question then being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tagtmeyer, Tremmel and Wilson (11) Nays Tower (1), So the Ordinance was declared to be passed.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Sheet Commissioner be instructed to notify the own-

er of Lot 35. North side addition to grade and gravel sidewalk on Second street uniformly with adjoining lots. And if said owner shall neglect or refuse to so grade and gravel said sidewalk in 10 days from date of service then said Street Commissioner shall do said work and report the cost to the Common Council.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn Offered the following:-

Resolved That the owner of Lots Numbered 195 & 196, Rockhill Add. to grade and gravel the sidewalks fronting said lots on Berry street, within 10 days from Notification and in default thereof to comply with said notice said Street Commission is instructed to cause same to be constructed and report cost thereof to the Common Council for assessment against said property.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan Offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to put down alley crossings on Ewing street. Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Wilson offered the following:

Resolved That the City Treasurer is hereby instructed to collect from the owner of Lot No 188 Northside Addition #50, for constructing sidewalk fronting said lot: also for filling same.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Schoepf offered the following:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct plank crossings at the crossing of Walnut and Oakley streets: Also on the North side of Popular street, at the alley west of Fairfield Avenue.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wilson offered the following:-

Resolved, That the City Clerk be instructed to cause an assessment list to be made against the owners of lots Nos 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, & 9, Edsalls Addition, and Lot No 11 Walls addition to the City of Fort Wayne, in accordance with the report of the Commissioner and in compliance with the 65th Section of the act for Incorporation of Cities, for the purpose of the opening of the alley described in said report.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Trower offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds are hereby instructed to have a water Closet constructed in City Buildings, to be of

size and style as formerly recommended by C.C.C. and not to exceed in cost as then estimated by that officer.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Public Grounds.

On motion of Mr. Carier the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing a petition read, from A.J. Emerick praying that the vote be reconsidered on the report of the Committee on Griffith Street Sewer &c.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Sewers.

The following bills were then allowed.

B.L.P. Willard	Streets	54.00	William Walda	Streets	1.00
Henry C.T. for	"	27.50	F. [illegible] Jäger	Fire Dept	2.50
P.[illegible]	"	24.00	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
[illegible]	"	34.00	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
[illegible]	"	31.00	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
John [illegible]	"	21.00	[illegible]	"	16.05
Henry Steers	"	24.00	James Barr	"	4.00
John Lynch	"	24.00	Thomas Bolger	"	4.00
H. Schopman	"	24.00	Nicholas Galen	"	3.50
[illegible]	"	24.00	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
P. Luxinberger	"	24.00	Peter Schier	"	3.50
Patrick Dooley	"	22.00	John Horn	"	3.50
John Swagne	"	23.00	John Seabold	"	3.50
Ernst Linker	"	18.00	Jacob Staymyer	"	3.50
Michael Noon	"	22.00	Louis Young	"	3.50
[illegible]	"	18.00	A. [illegible]	"	6.15
James Murphy	"	15.00	John A. Droegemeyer	"	8.50
[illegible]	"	4.00	George Swain	"	2.00
Old Ernst	"	6.00	Holt Jäger	"	2.00
George Hanes	"	36.00	Sam Mac	"	2.00
J. Whitehead	"	44.00	George Immiser	"	2.00
Michael Devaine	"	20.00	John Downey	"	2.00
[illegible]	"	1.00	[illegible]	"	.50
[illegible]	"	9.00	[illegible] Kelley	"	9.00
[illegible]	"	20.00	[illegible]	"	5.00
James Meier	"	32.00	J. Cunninghamer	Curbing	42.00
Henry Stall	"	1.00	John A. Droegemeyer	Gen Exp	2.50
Mathilda Kaufman	"	50.00	James. Barr	" "	11.00
[illegible]	"	5.00	[illegible]	" "	12.00
Francis McNulty	"	12.50	Wm. Walda	Bridge &c	13.00
Christian Elzer	C.		Election		3.00
J.C. Davis	Street	12.00	P.H. Trentman	Street	1.00
J.H. Hill	"	12.00	R.C. Wilson	"	12.00
Henry Shoney	"	12.00			

A bill of John Schaub for [illegible] Hose Jury. Hundred Feet [illegible] at $1.25 per foot [illegible] by the Com on Finance, with [illegible] Hose Action, which being read by the Clerk Wm. Carier offering in the affirmative were Means Carier Hogan Nibegan Schoof Jagemeyer Schaub Trenmel (8) So the bill was allowed Which bill was ordered to [illegible]

Read, approved & signed in
open Council this 14th day of
November, A.D. 1871

Attest

Ann V. Freeman,
City Clerk.

A. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regulars

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present the Hon. Jesse Reynolds in the Chair and Councilmen Kennedy, Reed, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Keegan, Morgan, Schmidt, Dwenger, Jones, Hamilton, Wilson & Wagner. Absent Messrs. Broadway & Cosier.

Roof and Gable Roadway

On motion of Mr. Broadway a committee of [illegible] was appointed to wait upon the family of the late Mayor Hamilton and tender the sympathy of the Council in the bereavement which has befallen them.

Mr. Chairman & Gentlemen of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

In the full meeting of the Common Council in the Plenitude of life and in the very midst of [illegible] has by a wise and merciful Providence been called to eternity, this taken in the prime of life when hope was fair and expectations gilded the future. His exit was like the morning star that go not down behind the dark and [illegible] heaven. Therefore.

Resolved. That the Mayor and Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne have received with the deepest sensibility and most profound [illegible] the news of the death of the distinguished Citizen late Mayor of this City.

Resolved. That in his death the Common Council have lost a wise and well-qualified adviser, the city an enterprising and [illegible] citizen, and his family a kind and indulgent husband and parent.

Resolved. That to his widow and family now bereft of their [illegible] affliction we tender our heart-felt sympathy and condolence with the assurance that we share with them their sorrow and loss.

Resolved. That these proceedings be spread upon the Records of the Common Council; That the City Clerk furnish a copy for publication to each of the papers published in the city and also transmit to the bereaved family a certified copy of the same.

Resolved. That in respect to the Memory of the deceased the officers and members of the Common Council do wear the usual badge of Mourning for thirty-days and that the City Council room be draped in Mourning for the same length of time.

Resolved. That as a further mark of respect to the memory of the lamented dead the Common Council do now adjourn until Wednesday evening November 15th 1871 at the usual hour of meeting.

O. E. Broadway. A. H. Cosier
John B. Morgan Geo. H. Wilson
B. H. Jones

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Prior to taking the vote Mayor Randall said that the Council had lost not only its oldest but one of its ablest and clearest headed members a man who was respected and honored by all who knew him. a man whose [illegible] and judgment and integrity rendered his death a public Calamity.

On Motion Council adjourned to the 15th inst.

Read Approved and signed
in open Council this 28th day of Jan 1871

Attest
Danl Freeman
City Clerk

H. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Adjourned Session
November 25th 1871

Council met Pursuant to adjournment Present his Honor J. C. Vandall in the Chair and a full board except Councilman ——

Petition recd from B. Trentman, et al, Property holders on Water st- Trentman et al for brick s.w. on Water praying for privilege to lay brick instead of plank sidewalk on said street between Calhoun & Harrison streets

Which Prayer of petition was granted, and leave given 15 days from date of notice to construct said walks.

Pet from Pierce et al to open a street through the D.L.

Petition recd from O. O'Berriman & others Property holders in 7th ward praying that a street be opened through Harmar's D. Lots from Jones street to Charles street, and thus extend Dawson st. 132 ft 6 inches ~~Prayed~~ West

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets to notify Commissioners to meet and assess the damages & benefits accruing.

Petition recd from Jno W. Dawson, praying that the contiguous to Spy Run Avenue be annexed to the city, on account of frequent disorderly conduct on that Thoroughfare.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Pet of Ewing et al

Petition recd from M. Perckel et al, near Ewing, Smith & Co's Tobacco Factory praying that the City prevent a Steam Engine and boiler being placed in the basement of said

Which petition was received and placed on file.

Pet of Nancy Waters for

Petition recd from Nancy Waters owner of Lot 3. Block 6 in Ewings addition on Water street representing that said Lot is erroneously assessed and petitioner therefore prays that said assessment be remitted,

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Pet of S. R. Mudge et al

Petition recd from S. R. Mudge et al reading as follows:—

We the undersigned Citizens of the 5th Ward would most Respectfully State. That owing to the management of our Past Street Commissioners in diverting the Several water Courses on Jefferson. Wilt. and Pritchard Streets thereby Causing all of the Surplus Water West of Broadway On the aforesaid Streets to Concentrate at the South End of Jackson Street. Rendering it impossible for Footman to pass for some length of time after an Ordinary fall of Rain. It also overflows [illegible]

of the Lots both East & West of Jackson Street besides filling our cellars with filthy and impure Water. All of which can be obviated By Opening the ditch running Parallell with the R.R. U & C. R.W & St. R & D. R.W from Jackson Street East to the Baker ditch also increase the dimensions of the Culvert under Broadway. We therefore would most Respectfully Pray that you give this matter your Careful Considerations and by so doing you will greatly benefit Petitioners if the aforesaid work is done.

Which Petition was referred to C.C. Engineer.

Committee on Streets reported favorable to prayer of petition of Parties for praying for permission to put down Brick instead of [illegible]

Report was laid on the table.

Committee on Streets submitted the :—

Your Committee to whom was referred the Petition of P. Coughlan & B.W. Oakley & others asking for the gravelling of Main Street from Bank St. reet East to the Canal Bridge by leave to report adversely to said Petition for the following reasons: first that the season been so advanced it would hardly be possible to have the work completed this year. seemed that the Petition only asks for Gravelling without reference to Grading said Street and that said Petition is not signed by a single party owner of Property bordering said street where the work is proposed to be done. Your Committee would however recommend that the Street Commissioner be requested to Keep for the present said street in good repair by spreading a few loads of gravel on the same where he may deem it Necessary.

A. H. Carrier. Chairman

Which report was Concurred in.

Special Committee on Holly Water Works submitted the following report & proposition. Your Committee appointed to confer with Mr. J. C. Richardson for the purpose of obtaining a written proposition to Construct Holly Water Works in Your city would respectfully submit the following report together with a written proposition of Mr. Richardson:

The Committee have learned from the Holly Company and from Messrs Gaylord & Co that they will accept Mr. Richardsons contract with this city and that they are willing and financially able to Carry out every item contained in the contract and will guarantee it in every particular.

Your Committee would further state that they believe in the proposition to be a favorable one; that the prices of piping and machinery are reasonable that the building fixtures and in fact everything appertaining thereto will be first class and will furnish the Necessary power and appliances to provide the city 2.000.000. gallons of water every twenty four hours besides the means of extinguishing fires as stated in their proposition.

Your Committee would therefore recommend your acceptance of the proposition.

Wm Deghtmeyer
Robt. G. McNiece
John B Morgan
S. J. Hamma
J. H. Bass

Proposal.

Fort Wayne, Sept 14th/71

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Gentlemen:—

I propose to build for your city Water Works upon the Holly System; said works to be constructed in the best manner with suitable buildings of brick with stone foundation with stone foundation for Machinery with a suitable well from which to pump the Water. with 60 four inch double delivery hydrants and all the necessary stop valves complete with 2.100 feet of 12 inch pipe 5.125 feet of 10 inch 9430 feet of 8 inch 10.— feet of 6 inch and 20.000 feet of 4 inch all the pipes hydrants and stop valves to stand a pressure of 300 pounds to the inch.

The Machinery with rotary and gang pumps to be of a capacity to supply 2.000.000 Gallons of Water in 24 hours with Ordinary pressure and to throw eight streams of water at one time. five of them from one inch nozzles and three from one and a quarter inch nozzles 100 feet perpendicular high. The pipes to be laid in such streets as may be designated, and all to be completed in a workmanlike manner and delivered to the city in perfect working order for one hundred and fifty Thousand Dollars. For this amount city bonds will be taken payable in twenty years after date bearing 7 or 8 per cent interest payable semiannually at their highest market value without charges for negotiating. If a contract is authorized the value of the bonds may be ascertained, and specified in the Contract If Bearing 8 per cent interest the value will not be less than 95 cents on the dollar If this proposition is accepted it is understood that the Contract will be made with and carried out by the Holly Manufacturing Company of Lockport New York and Gaylord of Cincinnati Ohio

J. C. Pitcher

Which report and proposal was rec'd and same placed on file

Rep't of Commissioners Ordering High St

Commissioners appointed to assess damages & benefits caused by Opening of Streets & Alleys Submitted the following

Your Committee appointed to assess the benefits & damages in Opening Street Respectfully represent that having had legal notice to meet and assess the benefits & damages in Widening High

Street on the South side of the same to the width of 8½ feet from the west side of lot No 1 in McCulloch's Addition to the city of Fort Wayne to Lot No 12 in the North East corner of out Lot No 16 in Js W Ewings Out Lot in said city they did on the 8th day of November 1871 meet in the Council Chamber and proceeded to an examination of the Real Estate proposed to be appropriated and view the premises and had evidence upon the subject. We Report.

1st That the strip of land necessary to be appropriated in widening said Street is of the value of Fourteen Hundred & twenty five ($1425)

2nd " We find that the whole of this amount should be borne by and paid by the City of Fort Wayne.

3rd " We find that the part of said High Street proposed to be widened passes through Out-Lot No 14 Hamas Out Lots in Bloomingdale owned John Peters. We find that this lot is not benefitted at all but is damaged in the sum of ($375). That it also passes through 1.2.3 & 4 in Pape's Add Lot 1 owned by Nicholas Didier not benefitted but damaged to the Amount of ($75) Lots 2 & 3 owned by Charles Jantz not benefitted at all but damaged to the amount of One Hundred & Fifty ($150) Lot 4 owned by John Lising not benefitted at all but damaged in the sume of ($75) We find further that said opening extends through Lots 1.2.3.4.5 & 6. in Gerkens Addition Lot 1 owned by Henry Engleking Louisa Sophia Fred, Rena, William heirs of Henry Engleking deceased of whom Louisa Engleking is guardian not benefitted but damaged to the Amount of ($75) Lot No 2 owned by Jacob Battenberg not benefited but damaged in the sum of ($75). Lot No 3 owned by Wm Pape damaged to the Amount of $(75) Lot No 4 owned by August Morhenke damaged in the sum of $(75) Lot No 6 owned by Henry Schrader damaged in the sum of $(75) Said Street also passes through two pieces of land on the West of Said Lot No 6 6 11 x 150 feet One owned by Chas Schmidt damaged in the sum of $(75) One owned by Fred Weible damaged to the Amount of $(75). Said street also passes through a certain piece of land on the West of Said ~~Street~~ Last pieces of land 110 x 250 feet owned by Henry Schrader owned in the sum of $(150) These Last three described pieces of land being in Gerkies Addition. We find that no parties are benefitted from whom benefits Can be legally Collected The owners of land West of the Lots through which said street passes are the lots benefitted but these Cannot be reached unless the charter as we are advised However in order that said street may be opened the city will be Compelled to pay to each property owner the damages to him assessed amounting in all to $1425. {Received & Placed on file}

J. C. Davis
R. C. Wilson
B. H. Trentman } Comrs
John H. Hill
Henry Schone

Commissioners Appointed to assess damages & benefits caused by Opening of Streets & alleys submitted the following.

Your Committee appointed to assess benefits and damages in opening an extending Streets. having had legal notice to meet and assess the benefits and damages in opening and alley between W. S. Ewings Administrators Addition and Bonds Subdivision out-Lot No. 2 in the city of Fort Wayne. North to Jefferson Street. have to report that they met in accordance with said notice this 8th day of November 1871 in the Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne and proceeded to an examination of the real estate proposed to be appropriated by said opening and proceed to view the premises after having done so they had to report.

First. That the value of land necessary to be taken in opening said alley is of the Value of $250.

2nd We find that the whole of this should be borne and paid by the City of Fort Wayne.

3d We find that said opening will pass through Lot No 4 Ewings Addition owned by William J'lenning. This alley will pass diagonlly through said lot and leaving but a narrow strip on each side Greatly damaged it. We have assessed the damages at the sum of $265. The parties south on the alley are the only ones benefitted and they are benefitted to amount much larger than the damages above assessed and should if right volunteer pay the damages. The City however has no power to make them pay for benefits & however the whole damages falls on the City The damages we have, assessed and the value of the strip of land taken being a strip 16½ feet by 45 feet.

J. C. Davis
John H. Hill
R. C. Wilson
Henry Schone
B. H. Reuthman
} Comm'rs

Which report was Received & Placed on file.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:—
Resolved. That the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare a finial Estimate in favor of C. H. Lindley for grading & planking the sidewalk on the east side of Calhoun Street from Lot No 1 Williams Add'n to Williams Street. Also a first estimate in favor of Neil McKay, for graveling Berry street between Harrison & Webster

Also, First Estimate in favor of Patrick Doyle for grading and planking the sidewalks on the South Sides of Montgomery st from Barr to Hanna

Also First Estimate in favor of John W. Langohr for graveling Berry Street from Webster street to Ewing street. Also Est. in favor of C W Lindley for S.W. on Butler

Which resolution was adopted.

In accordance with above resolution C.C.E. submitted following Final Estimate allowed C. W. Lindlay for grading and planking Sidewalks on Calhoun street west between Dawson & Williams street, made at 30¢ per cubic yard for the grading, and 27½ cents per lineal foot for the planking.

John H Buss		2	50	4	00	13	75	17 75	Williams
" " "		3	50	4	00	13	75	17 75	do

I Certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Approved, November 15th 1871 — C. D. Brackenridge C.C.E.

Attest; Sam P. Freeman City Clerk.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

In accordance with instructions C.C.E. submitted following First Estimate in favor Neil McKay for graveling Berry street between Harrison and Webster street, made @ $1.93 per lineal foot for the graveling and 30¢ per lineal foot for the paving of gutters.

Christ Kaffner	North 75 feet	511	60	57	90	18	00	75	90	Hanna's
Ann Lannon		510	60	57	90	18	00	75	90	do
Fort Wayne Lodge I.O.O.F		518	50	48	25			48	25	do
J. P. Anderson		519	50	48	25	15	00	63	25	do
James M. Kane	East 20 ft	520	20	19	30			19	30	do

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved November 15th 1871 — C. D. Brackenridge C.C.E.

Attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

In accordance with instructions C.C.E. submitted following First Estimate in favor of Patrick Doyle for grading and planking Sidewalks on Montgomery street South side from Monroe to Hanna made at 29¢ per cubic yard for the grading and 42¢ for the planking

Moritz Axt	East 120 feet	45	120	4	80	50	40	55	20	Lewis Ad"
Henry Lahmeyer		49	60	2	40	25	20	27	60	" "
Nicholas Handry		48	50	2	00	21	00	23	00	" "
Samuel L. Hough		56	60	3	50	25	20	28	70	Lewis
Francis Mc Elfatrick		57	50	1	50	2	00	22	50	Lewis
" "		58	50	1	50	21	00	22	50	"
" "		59	50	1	50	21	00	22	50	"
" "		60	50	1	50	21	00	22	50	"
" "	East half	61	25		75	10	50	11	25	"
C. J. Eme	West ½ of	10	24	2	00	10	08	12	08	Hamilton
" " "		11	48¼	4	00	20	20	24	20	"

I certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with the order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

C. S. Bracken Jr
C. C. E.

Approved Nov 16 1871

Attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractors as per Contract and Estimate

Estimate in Ingram Berry

In accordance with previous instructions City Civil Engineer submitted the following First (1st) Estimate allowed John W. Laughlin, for graveling Berry Street from Webster Street to Ewing Street made at Two Dollars and Sixty seven cents ($2.67) per lineal foot for the graveling, and Thirty-six (36) cents per lineal foot for the paving of gutters.

		Nos of Block	Nos of Feet	Assessment for		Assessment for		Total		Addition
John E. Hill			526	50	66	75	18	00	84	75	Hamas
" " "			527	50	66	75	18	00	84	75	"
Thomas Skinner		19	12	50	66	75			66	75	Ewings
Jacob Piers		19	11	50	66	75			66	75	"
Isaac M. Rosenthal		19	10	55	73	42			73	42	"
" " "		19	9	55	73	42			73	42	"
Pliny Hoagland		19	8	50	66	75			66	75	"
" "		19	7	50	66	75			66	75	"
Isaac Lafferty			505	50	66	75	18	00	84	75	Hamas
John M. Moritz			504	50	66	75	7	00	73	75	do
M. J. Barbour											
Chas. McCulloch			503	65	86	77			86	77	Hamis
O. D. Hurd	Trustees 2nd Pres Church	21	1	50	66	75	7	00	73	75	Ewings
D. B. Stroke											
Robt S. Robertson											
Siemon Freiburghes		21	2	50	66	75			66	75	"
" "		21	3	55	73	42			73	42	"
N. Hamilton. L. Hamilton											
Heirs of Est of J. Hamilton		21	4	55	73	42			73	42	"
S. Cary Evans & Minerva C. Evans		21	5	51	66	75			66	75	"
" " " " " "		21	6	50	66	75			66	75	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne.

Approved Nov 15 1871 Chas. S. Brackenridge

Attest Sam P. Freeman C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

In accordance with instructions C. C. C. submitted following First Estimate allowed John W. Laidlaw for grading and planting sidewalks on Butler street from Calhoun to Harrison street, made at Twenty-seven (27) cents per cubic yard for the grading and Twenty-seven and one half cents (27½) per lineal foot for the planting.

$ 621 for Grading E. Wm Butler

Names	Description	No. of Lot	Lot	Square Feet	Price per Foot	Dollars	Cents	Remarks
Nicholas Dewald		49	150	1650	41 25	57	75	Williams
Ellen Brenshaw		50	50	550		5	50	"
Isee W. Shovey		51	50	550	13 75	19	25	"
William Stewart		52	50	550		5	50	"
J. L. Williams	A parcel of land commencing on South east corner of Calhoun Street and Butler Street Running west to South West corner of Butler Street and Harrison Street		312	34 32	85 80	120	12	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Approved Nov 15 1871 C. S. Brackenridge C. C. C.

Attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and bonds in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

$ 3 for Doyle for S W Crossings on Montgomery

City Civil Engineer submitted following Final Estimate in favor of Patrick Doyle for grading and planking Sidewalk crossings on Montgomery Street

Crossings S.W. corner of clay & Montgomery 9 ft @ 42 cents		3	78
Grading do			45
Crossings S. E. corner do	10 ft @ 42 cents	4	20
Grading do do			50
do South east corner of Monroe & Montgomery 8 feet @ 42¢		3	30
Grading do do			90
Grading South west corner Harrison & Montgomery 3 feet @ 42¢		1	26
Grading do do			15	14	10

I certify the above Correct and the work done according to Contract.

C. S. Brackenridge.

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Civil Engineer submitted following First Estimate for grading & Gravelling Berry Street Crossings in favor of John W. Langdon

Est for Crossings on Berry St Completed

Webster to Ewing	398 cubic Yards @ 34 cents			135	32
Crossings of Ewing	70 " " 34 "			23	80
Grading of Griffith to Fulton	325 " " 34 "			110	05
Crossings of Fulton	75 " " 34 "			25	60
Burying & removing boulders				5	00
				299	77

I certify the above correct and the work done according to Contract

C. S. Brackenridge
C. C. E

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to pay Contractors as per Contract and Estimate

Est for Berry St Crossings completed

City Civil Engineer submitted following first Estimate in favor of Schafer & Griebel for Grading & Gravelling Berry Street Crossings.

Grading abandoned by N. McKay between Harrison and Webster & repairing manhole				55	00
Crossings of Webster 79 cubic Yards @ 34 cents				26	86
Grading Ewing to Griffith 304 " " 34 "				103	36
Crossings of Griffith 61 " " 34 "				20	74
Grading Fulton to Broadway 401 " " 34 "				136	34
Removing large boulders (breaking & hawling)				5	00
				347	30

I certify the above Correct and the work done according to Contract

C. S. Brackenridge
C. C. E

Which Estimate was approved and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Chief Engineer of the Fire Dept Submitted the following
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:— For the past year it has been evident to not only the members of the Fire Department but also to all citizens who may have been present at fires, that the supply of Hose was inadequate in quantity and comparitively worthless in quality. Repeated reports to this effect from the chief of the Fire Department resulted in Your Honorable Body instructing the Fire Committee to purchase 1000 feet of rubber hose for use of the Fire Department. A subsequent resolution instructed said committee to purchase 500 feet of 5 ply Rubber Hose from Akron Ohio and 500 feet of Boston 4 ply Hose as per samples furnished. The latter was contracted for through a Chicago house at a cost of 135 per foot Exclusive of freight and couplings and was the first to arrive. Upon inspection by Mr. Waddington and Mr. Dessauer the Fire Committee in conjunction with the Chief Engineer it was of an entire differ-

quality from that ordered and by them considered worthless for use in the
in this department. Wm. A. H. Carier agent for the Chicago house was at once
notified of the non-acceptance of the hose & the reasons of the Committee
for declining to accept it. Nothing however was done by him until the
meeting of Council when a bill of $675.00 for said hose was presented
& by the council ordered to be paid. Deeming confident that there was
some mistake and not wishing to be burdened with a worthless bill
of hose. I called the attention of several experts to them and asked for
their opinions concerning their fitness for performing the work required
of them & their verdict without exception was that the hose was worthless
I then caused an injunction to be served upon the City Clerk and City
Treasurer restraining them from paying the above mentioned bill.
My reasons for so doing will be apparent in the statement following,
1st. As I understand it the Boston 4 ply hose was sold to the
city per lineal foot 1.35 Hose as per sample furnished from Akron
Ohio & warranted equal in Strength and durability can be
purchased for $0.75/100 per foot making a difference of $.60 per
foot and $300.00 in the lot of 500 feet ordered.
2nd " New York hose 4 ply with extra ply on ends & rubber cover
fully 30 per cent better than the Metropolitan per hose and Chicago
& now here can be purchased for $1.10 per foot or 40 cents less
than that from Chicago.
3rd " Akron 5 ply Hose similar to that now in use is offered for
50 per cent better than the Chicago Hose only costs 10 cents
more per foot which shows conclusively that the Akron is low
very cheap or the Chicago Very dear.
4th No 4 ply "Boston Hose" Such as was ordered has been
received but instead a lot of "Metropolitan" of inferior grade
entirely and therefore justly condemned by the Fire Committee
Accompanying this communication the samples as described
are present for the purpose of being inspected by your honorable
body and I very respectfully submit them & the foregoing for
your Consideration.

Respectfully
Thos. Manus Chief Engineer Dept

Which report was received and ordered placed on file.

Monthly Statement of City Treasurer to Oct 31 1874 received reading
as follows.

Monthly Statement of Treasurer

Delinquent Taxes	3 [illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
General "	[illegible]	
Contingent "	[illegible]	
Sidewalk "	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	$10 21 [illegible]

On Voucher [illegible]	[illegible]	
Interest [illegible]	[illegible]	
Coupons Redeemed	4330.00	7008.23
Leaving a balance in Treas of		3212.60

Which report being certified to by Committee on Finance as being and the orders and coupons therein recorded destroyed and burned. Was Received and ordered placed on File.

Ref of Cy Atty re Kleber Property

City Attorney Submitted the following.

I herewith submit to you and an Ordinance to open Force Street through the property of Mrs Kleber. The Ordinance formly passed was void as fur as the Klever property is concerned it at that time not being in the City. Since then we have by action of the County Commissioners brought into the city the Kleber land. Previous to the setting of the Common Pleas Court now in session. I gave notice that the city would in Said Court move for the appointment of a guardian for the minor heirs of Mrs Kleber in Order to have said Street Opened. Upon getting the notice and the sitting of the Court Mrs Kleber came in and upon her own application was appointed guardian All things are now ready to open said street.

Very Respectfully
A. Zollars

Which Report was Concurred in

Street Commissioner Reported the following:-

Owners Names	Description	No of Lot	No of Feet	Assessment- for Planking	Assessment- for Grading	Total	Addition
Judith. L. Cummings	E/2	49	22	7 48	66	8 14	Brackenridge
Wm Robb Hartman. Jacob Awrad		39	45	15 30	135	16 65	"
Andrew Hackins		51	45	15 30	135	16 65	"
Christian Koch		38	45	15 30	135	16 65	"
Elizabeth Meyers	West 1/2	49	22	7 48	66	8 14	"
William Rogge		44	150	51 00	4 50	55 50	"
Ernst Deghtmeyer		50	44	14 96	132	16 28	"
City of Fort Wayne	Crossing		19	6 46	57	7 03	"

To the Honorable Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen:-

I have in Compliance with your orders caused a plank sidewalk to be constructed in front of the above described property the cost of which is set opposite the several descriptions.

[illegible] Commissioners

We certify that the above written [illegible] according to [illegible]
Approved Nov [illegible] 1879
Attest Sam P. Freeman City Clerk
Which Report was Concurred in

E. C. & E.

3rd reading
Ord. to vacate [illegible] Co.

An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance (H. I.) authorizing the construction and operation of the Citizens Railroad of Fort Wayne [illegible] a third time now. The question being, shall the ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shypock, Tower, Tremmel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (14) Nays (None) So the ordinance was passed,

3rd
To grade & plank S. side of Cass St.

An Ordinance (H. L.) to grade and plank [illegible] East side of Cass Street from the St. Marys Bridge to [illegible] Jackson & Saginaw Rail Road. (amended so as to read the west side of Cass) The question being shall the ordinance pass? [illegible] the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway. Bull. Dessauer. Goshorn. Hanna Hogan. Morgan. Schoeff. Stoll. Shypock. Tower. Tremmel. Teghtmeyer. Underhill & Wilson. (15) (Nays None) so the ordinance was passed.

1st
To open Hanna St.

Councilman Bradway introduced an Ordinance (H. M.) to [illegible] Pierce St. East to Hanna St. [illegible] read a first time now. Mr Bradway moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of hearing the Ordinance read a second time now. The voting on the motion was as follows: Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway. Bull. Dessauer. Goshorn. Hanna. Hogan. Morgan. Schoeff. Stoll. Shypock. Tower. Tremmel. Teghtmeyer. Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays (None) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance [illegible]

1st
To open Saunders St.

Councilman Bradway introduced an ordinance (H. N.) to [illegible] new & extend Saunders Street from its present [illegible] terminus East to Hanna Street. [illegible] Mr Bradway moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway. Bull. Carier. Dessauer. Goshorn. Hanna. Hogan. Morgan. Schoeff. Stoll. Shypock. Tower. Tremmel. Teghtmeyer. Underhill and Wilson (16) Nays (None) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read by its title a second time now.

City Attorney introduced an Ordinance (N.S.) to open and extend Force Street from the South side of the Foundry Addition South to the North line of Sec 28 Hanna's Out Lots which was read a first time. Bradway moved that the rules be suspended to hear the Ordinance read a second time now; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Gorhorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shyrock, Power, Tremmel, Teglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (None) So the rules were suspended, and Ordinance read by its title - 2d time now. On motion of the the rules were again suspended to have the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Gorhorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shyrock, Power, Tremmel, Teglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (None) So the rules were suspended & one read a 3rd time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass Those voting in the affirmative were. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Gorhorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shyrock, Power, Tremmel, Teglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (None).

So the Ordinance was passed.

Councilman Gorhorn offered the following:-

Resolved. That Gas lamp posts be erected at the Crossing of P.F.W.&C.R.R. on Hanna Street and at the corner of Hanna & Toledo Street and at the corner Hamilton & Hanna Street. Public safety requires this improvement.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following.

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to construct a street Crossing across College Street on the North line of West Wayne St.

on College.

Which resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved. That the Chief Engineer of the Fire Dept be instructed to fill cisterns in the 9th Ward.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

St Commissioner to construct Crossing on Webb

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct a crossing across Cass Street on the East side of Wells Street.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved That the Committee on the Fire Department be instructed to negotiate the matter & report to the Common Council the possibility

of laying a pipe from the canal feed... to the cistern in ... wherebysaid cistern ... filled.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Gorton offered the Following:
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to open Force Street from its southern terminus to lot 2 ... and Lot as per ordinance.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen:

a regular meeting of the Council on the 14th of March last ... tion was passed instructing the Street Commissioner to ... days notice to the owner of the East part of Lot ... addition to bring to Grade and lay down a plank ... the East Side of said ... Lot and if the owner ... neglect or refuse to make said improvement ... said resolution then the Street Commissioner should make the improvement provide to have the same done at the ... ners of said Lot. which improvement remains unmade.
Resolved. Therefore that the Street Commissioner be instructed to provide to have said improvement made without delay and in accordance with said Resolution passed March 14th 1871

Samuel Shypock

Which resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Stolle offered the following:-
Resolved That the Committee on Public Grounds be authorized to dispose of the present Council Chamber Stove and purchase one better adapted to heating the said Room.

Which resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Horgan offered the following:-
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to put down a crossing on the alley on the East side of ... between Colerick & Williams Streets.

Which Resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Deetmeyer offered the following:-
Resolved. that the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to Put down Crossing on Jefferson St. on East side of ... St.

Which Resolution was Adopted

Councilman Tagtmeyer offered the following:-
Resolved. That the C.C. Engineer be instructed to contract for the construction of a fire cistern on Jefferson Street in front of the Emanuel Lutheran Church.

Which resolution was not Adopted

Councilman Gorhom offered the following:-
Resolved. that the city clerk notify the Commissioners to assess damages & benefits to property affected by the Opening of Force St.

Which resolution was concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Thyock, the vote to pay Jno. Schwank for Hose allowed last Council night (regular session) was reconsidered
Those voting in the affirmative were Seven, (7); in the negative, Seven (7); There being a tie vote His Honor voted in the affirmative, so the vote was reconsidered.

Mr. Bradway offered the following:-
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to draw an Order on the City Treasurer for the payment of the Hose purchased from the parties in Chicago.

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway Cain, Hogan, Morgan, Schopf, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (7) In the negative Bull, Dessauer, Hanna, Stoll, Thyock, Tower & Underhill (7).

On motion of Mr. Underhill the Clerk was instructed to notify Mr Schwank that the city would not pay for said Hose.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised by C.C. to grade to a width of 12 feet and Plank to the width of Ten feet from the Sidewalks on both side of Water street from Main to Harrison street were opened and read as follows:-

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at & for the following prices, to-wit:-

	Chas Fleetwater		C.W Lindley	
	$	¢	$	¢
For grading per cubic yard		30		39
For planking per lineal foot		40		43

On motion the work was awarded to Mr Fleetwater.

Bill of Goodrich Tew & Co for Hose referred to Com on Finance

a Bill of Goodrich Tew & Co. for 500 ft of 2½ in White Anchor Hose, amounting to $750,00

was on motion referred to Com on Finance

A Bill of same parties for 500 feet of Hose, amounting to $750.
and 20 couplings @ $3.50 " " 110
$860,

was on motion referred to Com on Finance

Council man Underhill Offered the following;

mayor to appt 2 fire com

Resolved, That the Hon. Mayor of the City be and is hereby requested to appoint two Committeeman to act the balance of the year on the Fire Committee to fill the vacancies occasioned by the death of Mr. Washington and removal from the city of Mr. Fisher

Which resolution was adopted.

Street Commissioner submitted the following bill which was allowed.

Bill

City of Fort Wayne Dr.
To Patrick Doyle.

To Planking and Building Sidewalk on Packenridge Street in Brackenridges Addition.

For Judith L. Cummings	E/2 Lot	49	8	14
" Wm. & Ch. Hailman, Jacob Aurad	"	39	16	65
" Andrew Hackins	"	51	16	65
" Christian Koch	"	38	16	65
" Elizabeth Meyers	W/2	" 49	8	14
" William Rogge		" 44	55	00
" Ernst Dagtmeyer		" 50	16	28
" City of Fort Wayne for Crossings 19 feet			7	03 145 04

I certify the above has been done according to the order of the Common Council.

B. L. P. Williard
Pt. Comm.

The following Bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	81 00	John Bonfoi	Streets		34 00
Henry C. Taylor	"	20 00	Con Cull	"		36 00
Patrick Burns	"	36 00	P. Luxinmberger	"		36 00
Nels Thompson	"	35 00	Old Renot	"		7 00
Emil Renot	"	35 00	Pat'k Doiway	"		35 00
Henry Stiers	"	36 00	John Swayne	"		36 00
John Lynch	"	34 00	Ernest Linker	"		35 00
H. Schapman	"	36 00	Michael Nowd	"		8 00

[illegible]	[illegible]	23 00	John A Orwegemeyer	Gen Exp	1 00
[illegible]	"	14 00	Michael Ho[illegible]man	"	3 75
[illegible]	"	72 00	Welcher & Powers	"	20 00
[illegible]	"	72 00	Hauk & Shanhousen	"	35 03
[illegible]	"	72 00	J & P. Piers	"	7 50
[illegible]	"	72 00	John A Orwegemeyer	Fire Depts	115 25
[illegible]	"	24 00	Rohs Eme & Reuking	"	11 25
[illegible]	"	72 00	Ed Morel	"	2 75
[illegible]	"	72 00	George Swain	"	4 00
[illegible] Co	"	191 71	R. Reffelt	"	3 00
[illegible]	"	40 50	G. Brossard	"	3 50
[illegible]	"	12 50	L. Traub	"	49 10
[illegible]	"	15 00	Dan Dalls	"	10 00
[illegible]	"	123 29	Brandiff & Co	"	10 01
[illegible]	"	17 50	G. Buslager	Gen Exp/v	6 00
[illegible]	"	30 00	John A Orwegemeyer	Police	375
[illegible]	"	21 250	John Sanninghaus	Printing	21 00
[illegible]	Gen Exp	10 00	Kelling & Moran	Gen Exp	21 60

the Following bills was read

Fort Wayne Nov 19th 1871

City of Fort Wayne Dr

To Rudolph & Moellering

Nov 10	To Building Cistern in Bloomingdale per Contract	368.50	
Oct 9	" Balance on " " Lafayette & Madison	67.00	435.50

On Motion Council adjourned until . council in course

Read approved and Signed in open Council this 28th day of November. A.D 1871

Attest.

Sam P. Beeman
City Clerk

J. D. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORTWAYNE.
Regular Session
November 25th 1874.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair, and Councilmen Bull, Bradway, Cowan, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Wall, Shoaff, Tonner, Trentel, Underhill and Wilson (14) Absent Hanna & Tagtmeyer.

Minutes of last regular and adjourned sessions read, approved and signed.

Petition recd from E. Hockmeier, owner of Lot 12, Bonds Add, praying that money paid for benefits accrued to said lot caused by the opening of Lewis street be refunded him, on the grounds that said assessment was illegal.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition recd from Andrew Mayer representing that lot Numbered 482 & W/pt 483, Hanna's Add. is erroneously assessed and petitioner prays that said assessment may be made to correspond with property in vicinity of same.

Which petition has referred to Com. on Finance.

Petition recd from Danl. Freeman City Clerk reading as follows, to wit:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

I would again respectfully call your attention to the necessity of erecting a water closet for the use of officials in the building. Directly in the rear of making "Special dog ills" is in the rear of the different saloons opposite the office, the proprietors of which generously grant us permission to use their out-houses respectively. To gain entrance to said places, we are compelled to pass through the saloon and evil disposed persons circulate the story that the City officials are in the habit of visiting said saloons quite frequently every day and insinuate that it is for the express purpose of quenching their thirst. All I have to say is that those persons labor under a mistake either wilfully or accidentally. T. Stanfield Taylor, the "Champion Reformed Editor of the West" and Editor of the Journal publishes the following in reference to the Matter.

We are informed that our city officials are in the habit of visiting the saloons in the immediate vicinity of the City Hall, about four or fifteen times a day. Why is this thus?

During the late war I contracted the "Chronic Diarrhea" and received several gun shot wounds, an ounce and a half ball passing through

my bowels, and from the effects of the two, I am compelled to make a "masterly advance" to the rear of said saloons, on the "double quick" sometimes as many as twenty times a day, as I have no control over said organs and if I did not, it would result disasterously to me, Now, therefore your petitioner would pray that a water closet be erected and thus put an end to idle talk or surmises. Accompanying this is a copy of Estimates of costs for said work, as made by C. C. C.

Respectfully submitted
Sam P. Freeman
City Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Underhill the above petition was laid on the table.

Committee on Finance reported favorable to bill of Goodrich Fire Hose for Hose sold, dated Oct 4th for $75.00 another for $8.60, for Hose and Couplings sold to City Oct 21st.

Which report was rec'd and ordered placed on file

Committee on Fire Department by its Chairman, Mr. Wessauer, to whom was referred the resolution of Mr. Stoll in reference to laying of a pipe from the Feeder to the Fire cistern at the intersection of Wells and Douglas street, in Bloomingdale, reported adversely to such a thing at present-

Committee on Streets, submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Casper Meister asking the City to pay him the sum of $225 as damages sustained by him for a horse killed, buggy and harness broken on account as alleged of the bad condition of main Street at a certain point West of the St. Marys Bridge in this city beg leave to report that after a careful and unprejudiced examination of the place designated where the accident happened they fail to see that the City of Fort Wayne is or should be in any way responsible for the damages sustained by the petition as the street at said point is sufficiently in their judgement wide enough to allow ordinary careful drivers of teams to pass across each other without danger. We therefore feel in duty bound to report adversely to said petition but would suggest that the matter be further referred to the city attorney for his opinion in regard to the same.

A. H. Carier
Henry Stoll
Jim Hogan
} Com on Streets

Which Report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:

To the Hoon. Mayor & Common Council:-

Gentleman.

Your Committee to whom was refered the petition of John. W. Dawson. Esq. asking that the ordinance be passed to check Carlessness fast driving and the use of vulger and obscene language on the public Highway leading from the St. Marys Bridge near the Gas works to Rudisill's Mills beg to report that the evil complained of exits to a great extent and that a prompt remedy ought to be applied to stop said evil as much as possible: therefore your committee would recommend that the city Attorney be requested to examine carefully the complaint and draw up and ordinance in conformity with the power of the City in such case provided for by the charter to prevent in future the occurance of the evil and nuisance as complained of in the above mentioned petition provided however that the City of Fort Wayne has a legal right and power to act in the premise

A. H. Cavis. Chr St. Committee

Which report was concerved in.

Councilman Hoshour offered the following:-

Resolved. that the C. C. Engineer be instructed forthwith to prepare a first Estimate in favor of Schafer and Griebel for Gravelling Berry Street from Ewing to Griffith Street.

In accordance with above resolution C. C. E. submitted following first Estimate allowed. Schafer & Griebel for Gravelling Berry Street from Ewing Street to Giffith Street. made at $2. 67/100 Cents per Lineal foot for the Gravelling.

Owners Names.	Description	Numbers Lot	Block	Feet	Per Gravelling	Total	Additions
N. Gs & H. Gs. Olds		1	22	50	66 75	66 75	Ewing
do		2	22	50	66 75	66 75	do
S. J. Hanna		3	22	55	73 42	73 42	do
Do		4	22	55	73 42	73 42	do
John. H. Bass		5	22	50	66 75	66 75	do
Do		6	22	50	66 75	66 75	do
J. D. Nuttman		7	18	50	66 75	66 75	do
do		8	18	50	66 75	66 75	do
do		9	18	55	73 42	73 42	do
Esther Ewing		10	18	50	73 42	73 42	do
do		11	18	50	66 75	66 75	do
do		12	18	50	66 75	66 75	do

I certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order from the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved Nov 25th 1871 C. B. Brackenridge
Attest. Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk C. C. E.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay contractors as per Contract and Estimate

Affidavits

City Clerk presented six affidavits of Patrick Doyle contractor for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Walnut Street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley street and praying that precepts be issued against

Lot No. 7, Nindes 2d Addition, owned by Christian Busse of which Chas Dewitz Sr. is agt. 21

" " " " " " Isaac N Kleiman 1659

" " " " " " Leonard Fuchs 1421

" 36 " " " " " August Freitag 1421

" 37 " " " " " Francis Russel 13.13

" 38 " " " " " Jacob J. Hunter 13/3

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

An Ordinance to open and extend Samuel Street from its present Western terminus "East" to Kanna street, was by the unanimous consent of the Council amended so as to read "West" and read a third time now. The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass as amended? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel Underhill and Wilson (13) Nays Tower (1) So the ordinance as amended was passed.

An Ordinance to open and extend Horace street "East" to Kanna Street was by the unanimous consent of the Common Council amended so as to read "West" and read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass as amended? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel Underhill and Wilson (13) Nays Tower (1) So the Ordinance as amended was passed.

Councilman Bradway offered the following resolution:-
Resolved, that the Committee on Public Grounds in Conjunction with the C. E. Engineer be instructed to contract forthwith for the construction of a water closet for use of the City Officials provided that the cost thereof shall not exceed Two Hundred $(200)
Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Bradway offered the following Resolution:-
Resolved-that the Street Commissioner give to the owner of Lot No. 223 Hannas Add. twenty four hours notice to lay Side Walk in front of said lot Said Sidewalk to be of Brick and six feet wide if not laid in that time the Street Commissioner is hereby instructed to have or cause ~~him~~ to be laid Said walk and report the cost to this Council at its next regular meeting for Collection.
Which resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-
Whereas it appears by a report of the parties having a contract to assign numbers to houses. lots. and parts of lots in the City of Fort Wayne that in many instances several streets of said City although at some distances from eachother and also sometime close together and in the same ward. bear the same name causing thereby a great inconvenience to the public therefore.
Be it resolved by the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne that no more than one street within the limits of said City shall bear and be known by the same name. that a committee of three in conjunction with the City Civil Engineer be appointed and authorized to make. assign and report proper changes and names for said street where deemed necessary and that an ordinance be prepared by the City Attorney and introduced at the earliest possible time. regulating and legalizing the same.
Which resolution was adopted and Committee on Streets instructed to act as such Committee.

Councilman Isenhour offered the following resolution:-
Resolved that the City Clerk notify the Commissioners appointed to assess damages & Benefits to lands or lots affected by the opening of streets &c. that they proceede to assess damages & benefits arising from the opening of Force Street. Samuel Street & Horace Street
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman. Underhill offered the following resolution:-
Resolved that the Fort Wayne Gas light company be and are hereby instructed to erect a Gas post and put in order a Gas light on the South west Corner of West Wayne Street and Broadway.
Which Resolution was Adopted.

Councilman Hogan offered the following resolution
Resolved that the Committee on Education be and are hereby instructed to have steps placed in front of the school House in the sixth ward on Butler Street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Resolution

Councilman Schoepf offered the following resolution:-
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to put down a plank Crossing at the alley on the South side of Taylor Street between Fairfield Avenue and Oakley Street.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tremmel offered the following resolution:-
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to notify Mrs Kleber to bring to grade and contract a plank side walk 6 feet wide fronting her property on Hanna Street from Jones Street South and upon failure of said property owner to comply with said notice within 10 days of service said work shall be done by order of said St. Commissioner at expense of said property holder the cost of which he shall report to this Council that same be Collected the usual way.
Which resolution was adopted.

Mr Dessauer from the Com on Fire Dept. reported that he had been informed by Chief Engineer Fire Dept and others that the boiler of the Steamer Vigilant was dangerous.
On motion of Mr. Dessauer a committee of three were appointed to examine the condition of said Engine, the Mayor appointed as such committee Messrs Dessauer, Morgan & Jagtmeyer

Bill of Pape & Schroder amounting to $130, for sprinkling Clinton, Berry & Barr streets 26 weeks @ $5.00 per week, was referred to Com. on Finance

Bill of Goodrich Tew Mfg Co of $460.00 for Hose & couplings was referred to a committee of three consisting of Messrs Underhill Broadway & Morgan, with instructions to make enquiries as to the actual cost of hose delivered here direct from the manufacturers

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by C. C. C., to grade and plank the Sidewalk on the west side of Cass Street from the St. Marys River bridge to the T. H. J. & D. R. R., were opened and read as follows:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council,

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

Proposals for grade & planking Wells nut st-

	Lindley & Co.	Doyle	Schreeman
For planking per 1000 ft B.M.	34,00	3500	39,50
" Grading (Embankment) per Cub. yard)	.49	.50	.39

Which proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare said proposals and report to this Council now sitting the lowest and best bidder.

Committee on Streets reported verbally, that Charles Greetmatter was the lowest bidder and recommended that the contract be awarded him.

The following bills were then allowed.

B.S.P. Williard	Streets	54.00	M. Cody	Streets	24.00
Patrick Burns	"	22.00	Thos. Howley	"	7.00
Nels Thompson	"	20.00	Dand. McKendy	"	27.00
Emil. Renst.	"	23.50	Wm. Mauthy	"	20.00
John Lynch	"	20.00	John A. Droegemeyer	Fire Dept.	12.00
Henry Schopman	"	23.50	" " "	" "	.50
Leon Cuel	"	21.50	George Summer	" "	2.00
Henry Steers	"	23.50	George Swain	" "	2.00
Pl. Luxinberger	"	18.00	James Powers	" "	2.00
John Bonfoi	"	19.50	Thomas Bolger	" "	2.00
Ed Renst	"	7.50	" "	" "	2.00
John Swagne	"	19.50	Jno K. Baker	" "	12.24
Ernst. Linker	"	19.50	A. Reiling	" "	1.15
Pat Dowdy	"	21.00	James. Wilmot	" "	8.91
James Murphy	"	18.00	Goodrich. Jew Co	" "	750.00
Henry Brown	"	43.00	John. A. Droegemeyer	Gen. Exp	2.25
Wm. Reid	"	40.00	" " "	" "	3.00
James Miner	"	40.00	Michael Houlihan	" "	12.50
P. McLain	"	40.00	C. A. Zollinger	Prisoners	97.35
M. Devaud	"	40.00	Chief Kelly	Police	7.50
G. Hanes	"	40.00	Wayne Gazette	Printing	88.30
J. Whitehead	"	43.00	R. D. Dunn & Co	"	17.00
J. Farnighausen	Printing	19.75			

On motion of Mr. Carew Com on Finance were instructed to examine bill of R. D. Dunn & Co & if found correct, order Clerk to pay same.

Council adjourned to Council meeting

Read approved & signed this 12th day of December, 1871.

Attest, Sam. P. Freeman, City Clerk.

J. P. Randall

Mayor.

Dec 12

CITY OF FORTWAYNE.
Regular Session
12th
December A.D. 1871.

Council met pursuant to adjournment present his Honor, Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bull, Bradway, Carrier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hargan, Morgan, Schoeff, Steel, Shyock, Tower, Trentman, Underhill, Vegtmeyer & Wilson (15) Absent Hamaw (1.) -

Minutes of last regular session read approved and signed

Petition D. Carey Evans

Petition recd from D. Carey Evans, representing that he is the owner of certain lots fronting on Berry street and that said lots have been assessed in the aggregate in the sum of $300, in favor of Jno. W. Langohr contractor, while at the same time petitioner holds an offset of $300. against said Langohr, and petitioner prays that no precept be issued against either of said lots.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Freitag et al on S.W. on Walnut

Remonstrance recd from A. Freitag et al, praying that they be exempted from paying the full amount assessed against their lots respectively, on Walnut street, representing that the contractor had not built the sidewalk a[illegible]le as required by the Ordinance,

On motion of Mr. Schoeff, the said petition was laid on the table.

A. J. Reed for reduction of taxes

Petition recd from A. J. Reed representing that Lot No 133 O.P. was assessed too high and petitioner prayed that the assessment on said lot be put at $12.000

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance.

Warning from Fred Weber

The following petition was received from Frederick Weber.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.

Take Notice !!!

The Fort Wayne Steel Railroad Company under authority conferred by your Body is proceeding to construct the track of the road along the East side of Calhoun Street in said city, in front of Lot No 66, south 40 feet in Hamilton's 2d Addition to said city owned by me and so near the East line of said Street as to interfere with the use and enjoyment of said lot, and greatly to damage the same. To this I object and protest and will hold said City and all parties concerned therein responsible for all damages that may result therefrom to me or said lot.

(Signed) Frederick Weber.

Petitions

Which paper was refered to Committee on Streets.

Police force for new uniforms

Petition recd from members of Police force praying that a new uniform be purchased for said force, and paid out of the Genl Funds of the City.

Mr. Bell moved that the petition be laid on the table, Mr Carin moved to amend by refering said petition to Committee on Police, which amendment prevailed. The question being to refer petition to Com on Police, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bell, Carin, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schiefley, Voigtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (9) Nays Bird, Shryock and Tower (3) So the motion as amended was adopted, and petition refered to Com. on Police.

Lemley & Rosen. Petition recd from Lemley & Rosenthal praying that they be exempted from paying certain costs on precepts issued against them by Jno W Dangohy, contractor for grading and paving the Sidewalks on Wayne Street.

Mot. to be exempted from costs

Mr. Bird moved that that the petition be laid on the table, Mr. Underhill moved to amend by referring the petition to the Committee on Finance, which amendment prevailed and the petition was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Siddings for to pay for

Petition recd from Hiram Siddings of the firm of Divers Meyers & Siddings representing that in the year 1857, the said parties were awarded the contract for constructing the sewer on Calhoun street, by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and that the lots owned by the Roman Catholic Church were assessed in the aggregate the sum of $914.22; and the 3rd Presbyterian Church $220. This amount the contractors endeavored to collect, which was refused payment by those having charge of said churches and the matter eventually ended in a long and tedious lawsuit; the case came off before the Judge of the Common Pleas Court, and a judgement ended in favor of the plaintiffs. The defendants carried the case to the Supreme Court, where it was decided by that tribunal that the assessment was illegal on the ground that the said property had never been assessed on the City Tax Duplicate. In prosecuting the case, the plaintiffs were compelled to pay about $300 for Attorneys fees and this amount with the assessment, the petitioner prayed might be paid out of the general funds, together with interest. aforesaid.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance, to act in conjunction with City Attorney, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of this Council.

Dec 12/11

Petition

A similar petition from C. W. Lindley one of the contractors for building a Sewer on Clinton Street, and also, for the Harrison Street Extension Sewer. For the Sewer on Clinton Street the 1st Presbyterian Church was assessed #409.20 and the English Lutheran Church assessed #414.60 for the Sewer and connections. For the Sewer of the Harrison Street Extension the St Johns Ger. Reformed Church was was assessed #415.00; #10. of this being for connection pipes. The contractors of the Same were Alged to employ legal counsel amounting to #300. and this sum together with the original assessment and interest petitioner prays city to pay in cash,

Petitions for city to pay for Sewer Clinton & Harrison St Ext.

Which petition was refered to Committee on Finance to act in conjunction with City attorney, with instructions to report at the next regular meeting.

Petition from R. M. French et al remonstrating against admitting within the limits of the City of Fort Wayne, Spy Run Avenue.

Which petition was read & placed on file

R. M. French et al protesting against admitting Spy Run Avenue in city

The following petition was received from Henry Menning and Thomas Swinney:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

The undersigned your petitioners represent to your honorable body that they are the owners of Lot 74 and of the west 20 feet of lot 73 Old Plat of the city of Fort Wayne that said lot belongs to Thomas. M. Swinney and the west 20 feet of Lot 73 belongs to Henry Monning that between said lots their is existing an alley about five feet wide running north and South which alley has been for several years closed at each of its ends on account of a Continual nuisance existing to the great annoyance of passers by and created by sundry and divers persons. loafers and other indecent parties who were using said, alley as a place where they were in habit of depositing their filth. exposing their persons publicly and doing other mischiefs. obnoxious and revolting to the public and more especially ladies traveling the side walks fronting said alley on Main Street. Your petitioners therefore respectfully ask of Your honorable Body to pass an Ordinance in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Indiana and the Charter of the City in such case made and provided for. Said alley is of no use or advantage to any of the property owners residing in the neighborhood or to the Public in General.

Henry Menning

Petitioners

which is respectfully submitted and for which your petitioners will ever pray

Henry Menning
Thos. M Swiney

Petition was refered to the Committee on Streets

Reports

Committee on Finance submitted the following Report.

Fort Wayne Dec 12th 18[illegible]

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne:-

Com on Finance on pet of A Mayer

Your Committee on finance to whom was referred the petition of Andrew Mayer for reduction of Assessment and improvements on lots Nos 482 & 483 Hannas Addition find that said improvements were originally appraised at $7/100 dollars by the City assessor and his assistants and it is our opinion that it is a fair valuation of said property and that the clerk be instructed to place said improvements upon the tax duplicate at the amount (to wit 7000 Dollars)

Geo H. Wilson } Com on
J. W. Bull. } Finance

Which report was approved.

Committe on Public Grounds submitted the following.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council:-

Com on P.G. on Water Closet

Gentlemen. Your Committe to whom was referred the building of a water closet for the use of the city officers. do adversally report but would recommend that the City C. Engineer be instructed to purchase & place under the Council house Stairway or some other suitable Convenient place. one of those patent Crooks Earth Closets which we believe will answer all purposes and will cost not to exceed forty Dollars. the principal upon which they act is the mount of dry earth or ashes scattered over the deposit. Seems to deodorize so that no offensive escapes and can therefore be placed in any room & place desired.

Saml. Shyrock } Com
John Schoepf. }

Which report was concurred in.

Special Committee submitted the following report.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen.

Special com. on condition of Steamer

Your Committee to whom was assigned the duty of making an examination of the condition of the Steamer Vigilant would report that upon examination we find that it will be necessary to have a new boiler and we recommend that it be done immediately.

Respectfully Submitted } D. Dessaues
John R. Morgan } Com
Wm Feightner }

Which report was concurred in.

Report Bonds & Com.

His Honor Mayor Randall announced that Messrs. Bull & Hanna would serve on Committee on Fire Department until further notice.

City attorney submitted the following.

City attorney to report on petition of Nieriter

Gentlemen of the Common Council:-

At the last meeting of the Council a report of the Committee on streets was referred to me for the purpose of getting my legal opinions as to the liability of the city.. That report was made upon the petition of Casper Nieriter asking damages on account of the loss of a horse. The Committee reported against paying any damages. That report is certainly correct. However much we may regret that Mr. Nieriter has lost a valuable horse. or however much we might be inclined from friendly considerations to pay him all losses. Yet we have a duty to perform to city which rises above all personal considerations I have taken the trouble to go personally and examine the street where the accident occurred, and ~~correct~~ see how the city in point of view can be made liable in damages. The street is in good condition and wide enough for for teams to pass without danger if driven with ordinary Care. My opinion then is that the city is not liable.

Very Respectfully
A. Zollars.

Which report was received and placed on file

Contract of Streetmatter for grading Water St.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following contract and Bond of Charles Streetmatter for grading and planking the sidewalks on the North side of Water street from Barr Street to Harrison Street.

Contract

This agreement made and entered into this 28th day of November 1871 by and between Charles Streetmather of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne of the second part.

Witnesseth. that the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade to a width of twelve (12) feet and plank to a width of six (6) feet with good sound pine plank two inches thick the sidewalks on the North side of Water Street from Barr Street to Harrison Street and at for the following prices to wit. For grading per Cubic Yard of excavation Thirty (30) cents. For planking per lineal foot Forty (40) cents.

Said part of the first part further agrees to furnish all labor and material and do said work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

Said amounts to be collected by said party of the first part at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and

from the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne for the Crossings of Streets and alleys in Co. for sidewalks bearing six per cent interest to—

For the city of Fort Wayne
C. S. Brackenridge C. E.

Charles Stilmatter

Proposal

To grade to width of 12 feet and plank to the width of 6 feet (five) the Sidewalks on North Side of Water Street from Barr to Harrison Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen—

The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:

Fort Wayne Ind. Nov. 14th 1871

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen. If you award to Charles—Streetmatter the above work or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to specifications.

And we further agree.— That if the said Charles Streetmatter shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid. then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred dollars and all damages that the city may suffer in consequence of the said Charles Streetmatter having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid

Charles Streetmatter
Wm. Mantzer
John Taylor

Specifications

For Grading to the width of 12 feet and planking to the width of 6 feet the Sidewalks on North Side of Water Street from Barr to Harrison Street.

Grading

The above sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded to a width of 12 feet according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the filling slopes formed at the ratio of 1½ to 1. The material excavated if of a suit-

table nature, will be used for filling where required otherwise to be removed by the Contractor, at his own expense to some point not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner

Wherever filling is required it must be composed of good clay or sand free from perishable substances and thoroughly packed down so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the Stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yard of Excavations; provided that whenever material is borrowed to complete the filling, said filling will be estimated as excavations

Ranking

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good sound pine free from sap or other defects. The plank to be 2 inches thick six inches wide and 6 feet long and Spiked to the stringers with 4 inch spikes to each plank. The Stringers to be 4 inches square and not less than 12 feet long and be laid 2½ feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer and subject to the provisions of Section One, Chapter Eight of the Revised Ordinances of the city of Fort Wayne, which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property by reason of the construction of said work and he shall assume and be liable for such injury if occasioned and defend at his own cost and expense all suits or actions for damages which may be brought against him or the city of Fort Wayne arising under these Specifications

All of said work to be finished to the satisfactions of the city Civil Engineer on or before the 1st day December 1871.

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Charles Streetmather & John Taylor of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Five Hundred ($500) dollars the Payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators, firmly by these presents

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Charles Streetmather shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 12th day of December 1871 with the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects then this obligation to be void, to remain in full force and virtue in law

Witness, Our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Charles Streetmather (Seal.)

John Taylor (Seal.)

Which Contract, Bond & Specifications were approved.

Affidavits of Shaffer vs Catholic Church

City Clerk presented 2 affidavits of Schafer & Gruebel Contractors for grading & Gravelling Lewis Street from Clinton Street to Calhoun Street and praying that precept be issued

Lot No 271 Hannas Addition, owned by Most Rev. John B. Purcell archbishop of Cincinnati O & Right Rev. Martin J. Spaulding Bishop of Louisville Ky. to secure the sum of $106.24

Lot No 189 Hannas Addition owned by the same party " " " " " 48.16

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

Monthly Statement of Treasurer

City Treasurer's Report No 7 for the month ending November 30th 1871 was read by which it appears that he has on hand last Report No 6 for the month October 31st the sum of $3212.69

and collected from Delinquent taxes 525.43

" " " General License 34.00

" " " East End Market 50.00

On which he claims a credit by orders redeemed of $1001.50

Interest therein "

Coupons Consolidated 85.00

Leaving a balance in Treas of $2726.93

Which report being certified to by Committee on Finance as being correct and the orders and coupons therein recorded destroyed and burned was received and ordered placed on file.

Introduction of Ordinance to amend Ordinance

An Ordiance amending an Ordiance entitled an Ordinance authorizing the construction of the Citizens Steel Railroad of Fort Wayne, Indiana, (H.I.) was introduced and read a first time now. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Teglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (13) Nays Bull & Stoll (2). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a 2d time now. On motion of Mr. Bradway the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Teglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Teglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

Passed

Resolutions

Extra Compensation to Chief Eng.

Mr. Bull offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That for extra services rendered the city during the past dry season, the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, Thomas Mannix be allowed Fifty Dollars, and that the same is just and should be allowed.

Mr. Bradway moved that the resolution be laid on the table; those voting in favor of laying said resolution on the table were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Morgan, Schroepf, Shryock, Tegtmeyer & Underhill (7) In the negative Bull, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Stoll, Tremmel, Tower, & Wilson (6) So the resolution was not laid on the table. Mr. Bull moved that the resolution be adopted as read; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bull Dessauer Goshorn Hogan Stoll Tower Tremmel

Ft. Wayne Gas Light Co. to erect gas post at west end of W. Wayne

Mr. Underhill offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Fort Wayne Gas Light Co. be & are hereby ordered to erect a gas post and put in order a gas light at the west end of West Wayne Street opposite of the Fort Wayne College.

Which resolution was adopted

Grade of Lot 24 Edsalls Add. to gravel S. W.

Mr. Wilson offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owner of lot no 24 Edsalls Addition between Wall Street & Nirdlinger Avenue on West side of Broadway to gravel side walk in front of said lot in accordance with paper by the Common Council about one year ago. and in case the owner of said lot neglects to build said side walk within ten days after such notice that the street Commissioner cause said gravelling to be done at the expense of owner of said lot. And also that the Street Commissioner be instructed to build crossing on the alley between said streets

Which resolution was adopted.

A bill of Meyers & Sanders amounting to $28. ~~which~~ was on motion refered to Committee on Streets

The following bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	$54.	Danl. McKendry	Streets	27
Nels Thompson	"	$15.	Wm. Mauthey	"	10
Emil Renot	"	15.	Pape & Schrader	"	130
Henry Steers	"	23.	Jr K. Baker	"	497.90
John Lynch	"	23.	Sebastian Keller & Co	"	68.79
H. Schopman	"	15.	Louis Rastetter	Gen Exp	32.00
Com Bull	"	19.	Jas. L Barr	" "	2.00
Henry Brown	"	10.	John A Dreyer	" "	4.55

John. A. Davegemeyer	Fire Dept.	$4.
Alfred Hattersley	" "	55.54
Theodore Figgeman	" "	170.60
Schwartz. Bros.	" "	23.50
Keil & Bro.	Stationery	32.35

L. Dessauer	Com. Dinty	$33.00
Wm. Jeffmeyer	" "	5.50
Alfred Hattersley	City Offices	20.30
John. A. Davegemeyer	Police	1.00

On Motion Council adjourned until Council in course.

Read. approved and Signed in
open council this 26 day December 1871

Attest

Sam P. Freeman,
City Clerk

[illegible]
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session

Council met pursuant to adjournment; present His Honor Mayor Randall in the chair, and Councilmen Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Foshorn, Haum, Hogan, Morgan, Schoeff, Stoll, Shuyock, Tower, Tremmel, Tegtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (15) Absent- Bradway (1).

Minutes of last meeting read approved and signed.

Petition

Petition recd from John Donank, representing that Messrs Wadington and Dessauer Committee on Fire Department had ordered from him 500 feet of Hose for the use of the Fire Department, and he alleged that he not as yet, been paid for the same, and he had brought suit against the city to recover the sum of $750. but he would withdraw said suit and pay all costs if the city would pay said amount

Which petition was referred to Committee on Fire Dept, ~~and City Attorney~~.

Committee on Streets, submitted following report:-

Your Committee to whom you instructed and authorized to make a contract with some party or parties to assign and affix numbers to lots and houses within the limits of the city of Fort-Ind.; an Ordinance having been passed to that effect, beg leave to report that the Contract for said work having been given to Messrs Campbell and King, is now fulfilled to our satisfaction by said contractors and that they are now entitled to the sum of $2,565 30/100 to be paid to them in City Orders by the City according to agreement made between said city of Fort-Wayne and said Campbell and King, contractors

(Signed,) A H. Carier, H. Stoll, T. Hogan, } Committee on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the brief of D. Carey Evans beg leave to report unfavorable to the same, it being a personal and private matter between the petitioner and John Langohr; and the city having nothing whatever to do with it

(Signed) A H Carier, Chairman
Com on Streets.

Which report was concurred in.

Councilman Carier offered the following:-

Resolved, That the C. C. C. be instructed forthwith to prepare a Final Estimate

in favor of C. W. Lindley for grading and planking the sidewalks on Butler Street from Harrison street to Webster street.

Also in favor of Jno W. Langohr for grading Berry street from Griffith Street to Fulton Street.

(Signed) A. H. Hanch

Which resolution was adopted, and in conformity with above instructions C. E. E. submitted following First Estimate, allowed C. W. Lindley for grading and planking sidewalks on both sides of Butler street from Harrison street to Webster street, made at 27 cents per cubic yard for the grading and 27½ cents per linear foot for the planking.

Final Estimate for C. W. on Butler Street

Owners names	Description			Assessment- for	for		
I. M. Edmonds		53	50	5 50	13 75	1925	Williams
John Schele		54	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
Mary Christian		55	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
Christian Welter		56	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
William Bosse	W/2	57	25	2 75	6 81	9 62	"
D. D. Current	E/2	"	"	2 75	6 87	9 62	"
Peter Noll		58	50	5 50	13 75	1925	"
Wesley Drew		86	50	5 50	13 75	1925	"
Jesse L Williams		85	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
do	do	84	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
do	do	83	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
do	do	82	"	5 50	13 75	1925	"
do	do	81	52	5 72	14 30	2	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,
Approved, December 26th 1871, C. S. Bracken ridge
Attest, Jam. P. Freeman, City Clerk. C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per contract and Est

In accordance with instructions City Civil Engineer submitted the following First Estimate allowed John W. Langohr for gravelling Berry street from Griffith street to Fulton street and also for paving & curbing the gutters on both sides of said street between said points, made at Two Dollars and Sixty seven cents ($2,67) per linear foot for the gravelling and Thirty-six (36) cents per linear foot for the paving.

First estimate for Graveling Berry st. bet. Griffin & Fulton

Names of owners	description	Number of Lot	Block	Feet	Assessment for graveling	Assessment for Paving	Total	Additions
John K. Evans		12	17	50	66 75	18 –	84 75	Ewings
[illegible]		11	"	"	66 75	18 –	84 75	"
[illegible] Wyllie		10	"	50	~~73 42~~ 66 75	– –	~~73 42~~ 66 75	"
Charlotte Edgerton		9	"	"	73 42	– –	73 42	"
do	do	8	"	50	66 75	– –	66 75	"
do	do	7	"	"	66 75	– –	66 75	"
[illegible] Keough		1	23	"	66 75	18 –	84 75	"
[illegible]		2	"	"	66 75	18 –	84 75	"
[illegible] Evans		3	"	55	73 42	18 –	91 42	"
[illegible] Kelsey		4	"	"	73 42	18 –	91 42	"
Minerva Sturgis		5	"	50	66 75	18 –	84 75	"
[illegible] Sturgis		6	"	"	66 75	18 –	84 75	"

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Approved December 26th 1871.
Attest Sam R. Freeman City Clerk.

C. T. Brackenridge
C. C. C.

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties in said Estimate ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

Affidavits in precepts

City Clerk presented three affidavits of John W. Langohr, contractor for grading and graveling alley between McClellan street and Ewing st. from Lewis street to George street, and praying that precepts be issued against

John vs.

Horstmeyer — Lot No 14 C.W. Ewings Add[n] owned by Sophia & Wm Horstmeyer to secure the sum [illegible]

Hilgemann North pt of — " " 20 Brackenridges " " " Fred Hilgemann " " " " " 5.52

Rohlman — " " 7 C.W. Ewings " " " Wm Rohlman " " " " " 9.66

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

Langohr vs S.C. Evans

also affidavits of same party contractor for grading and graveling Berry street and praying that precepts be issued against

Lot No 5 Block No 21 Ewings Addition, owned by S.C. & Minerva Evans to secure the sum of $66 75

" " 5 " 21 " " " " " " " " " " " 66 75

Shafer vs Bourie

also affidavits of Chr. Shafer one of the contractors for grading and graveling Lewis street from Calhoun street to Barr street and praying that precepts be issued against

Lot [illegible] owned by Desdamona Bourie, to secure the sum of $[illegible]

Also affidavit of Patrick Doyle contractor for grading and planking the Side-

Doyle vs Kernan walks on both sides of Walnut street from Fairfield Avenue to Oakley street and praying that precepts be issued against-

Lot No. 10 Oakley's Addition owned by Isaac N. Kernan to secure the sum of $16.52

McKay vs. Trustees Meth. Church. Also 2 affidavits of Neil McKay, contractor for grading & gravelling Berry street and praying that precepts be issued against

Lot No. 516 Hanna's Addition owned by (H.I.) Trustees, Meth. Ch. de in Berry to secure the sum of $35.9

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all of which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

Introduction of Ordinance meaning Lumber Yards.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to control and regulate the keeping of lumber yards within the city of Fort Wayne &c., was read a first time; Mr. Hogan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teglmeyer & Underhill (12.) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now, after the following amendment was made to-wit:-

"Except such buildings as the owner or c

choose to treat for the purpo

Mr. Hogan moved that the rules be again suspended to hear the Ordinance read a third time now:, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Dessauer and Hogan (2.) nays, Bull, Carier, Goshorn, Hanna, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teglmeyer & Underhill (10) So the rules were not suspended.

On motion, the said Ordinance was referred to Committee on Fire Dept.

Resolutions Com. on Fire Dept to Contract for Cistern, cor Calhoun and Berry and

Mr. Hogan introduced the following

Resolved That the Committee on Fire Department be authorized to contract with some responsible party to build a Fire cistern 16x18 on the corner of Grand & Calhoun streets.

Which resolution was referred to Com. on Fire Dept.

Com on P.G. to procure Stove

Mr. Goshorn offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds be and are hereby authorized to procure a new stove for the use of the Treasurer and Clerks office.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The amended Res. granting certain lands to Ft. Wayne & Jackson R. R.

Councilman Goshorn Offered the following:-

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, on the 23d day of March 1869, granting twenty (20) acres of land therein described to the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Railroad Company be and the same is hereby amended so as to authorize and empower the said

Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Railroad Company to locate, erect, and maintain the Passenger and Freight depots of said Company at such point or place East of Wells street in the North side Addition to said City of Fort Wayne of Fort Wayne as shall be deemed by said Company most advantageous for the transaction of business, without in any way affecting or impairing the grants and privileges to said Co. contained in said resolution, hereby amended, and the Mayor of said city is hereby ordered and directed to convey said lands as described in said Original resolution to the said Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Rail Road Company, all of the conditions in said resolution specified as herein modified having been complied with and performed by said Railroad Company.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Streets.

Com on R. R. & O. to report Ord. for Water Works

Councilman Morgan offered a resolution as follows:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Rules Regulations & Ordinances be and are hereby instructed to report an Ordinance to be submitted to the voters of Fort Wayne, the question of the construction of water works.

Which resolution after considerable debating was adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following.

St Comm'r to take up & enlarge Culverts on Pritchard

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to take up and enlarge the culverts across Pritchard and Hood streets on the West line of Jackson street for the purpose of more effectually taking off the water.

Which resolution was adopted.

Report of Com. on Akron Hose.

On motion the order of business was suspended for the purpose of hearing the following report read:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen-

Your Committee to whom was referred the bill for Hose & couplings of Goodrich, Tew & Co., of Akron, Ohio, would respectfully report that we have corresponded with Goodrich, Tew & Co., and otherwise investigated the matter, and find that they will furnish the city with 2½ inch Black 4 Ply Hose with 5 ply ends at One $\frac{12}{100}$ Dollars per foot and equal to any Hose of other Manufactures in the Market. We find on enquiring of Dealers in such goods that as a general rule white and Black Rubber goods are offered at the same prices, as low as the others. We also find that all this Akron Company warranted this white anchor Hose to stand a pressure of 400 lbs to the inch it being only the same pressure that they warrant the black hose to stand. We consider

fail to discover their consistancy - and further having an opportunity your committee instructed one of their acquaintance, that was expecting to be in Akron. to call and examine prices at the factory and report by mail the result is he done so and reported by letter to the committee that he was offered 4 ply 2½ inch black Hose with 6 ply ends at one $\frac{30}{100}$ Dollars per foot and white Hose at the same taking this fact together with their own propositions to the Committee as herein stated & together with the fact that they have charged the City for the same quality of Hose one $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars per foot. Your Committee are forced to the conclusion that this company have at least attempted to overcharge the city for the Hose in question.
Your Committee would therefore recomend the passage of the following Resolution as a reasonable and final adjustment of the matter.

Resolved. that the city council are only willing to allow Isaac Woodrick Jewler for the last 500 feet of Hose sent the city by them. one $\frac{70}{100}$ Dollars per foot but are willing to pay their full bills for Couplings.

Resolved. That the city clerk be and is hereby instructed to tender Isaac Woodrick Jewler in writing this amount and in case of their acceptance the city Treasurer be and is hereby instructed to pay the Isaac Woodrick Jewler in cash the sum of One $\frac{70}{100}$ Dollars per foot for said 500 feet of Hose together with pay for their Bill for Couplings in full

P. J. Underhill
John W. Hogan

Which report was concurred in

A. Bill of Campbell Bros for sundries, Hose &c to the amounting to $70.65½.
Was Referred to Committee on Finance and City Attorney

The following bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	24.00	W. R. Reffelt	Fire Dep't	7.75
Henry Stiers	"	24.00	Thos. Bolger	" "	7.00
John Lynch	"	22.00	George Swain	" "	7.00
Patrick Fonay	"	7.00	George Summers	" "	7.00
Henry Lehrman	"	4.00	John A. Droegemeyer	" "	11.60
Emil Rendt	"	7.00	A. H. Carey	Commissioner	46.75
Henry Brown	"	8.00	H. Stolz	" "	46.75
C. W. Luttay	"	14.90	Jno. Hogan	" "	44.00
John A. Droegemeyer	Police	1.10	Geo. H. Wiers	" " 1925 3 in 2d	24.75
Chas. Kelley	"	3.00	John W. Buel	" " 1925 3 in 2d	24.75
A. Bollard	Gen Exp	15.00	Dan McKendry	Streets	27.00
Wm Bruce &	Streets	7.45	Wm Manthe	"	8.00

On motion Council adjourned till Council in course.

Read approved and signed
in open Council, this 12th day of Jany 1872.

Attest

Sam. P. Freeman
City Clerk

C. L. D. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, & Tower (9) Absent his Honor, Mayor Randall, and Councilmen Bull, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hemmel, Jeglinger, Mc-Kerhill and Wilson (6).

On motion Mr. Carier was appointed President of the Council pro tem.

On motion Council adjourned until Friday evening next January 12th 1872.

Read approved and signed in open Council this 12th day of January A. D. 1872

L. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY of FORT WAYNE
Adj. Session
Jany 12th 1872

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present his Hon. Mayor Randall in the Chair and a full board.

Minutes of two last regular sessions read approved and signed.

Trustees African Methodist church for lamp post

Petition received from Trustees of African M. E. church praying council to have lamp post erected in front of said church corner of Fawcett and Wayne Street.

Which petition was refered to Committee on Gas.

Trustees of Bapt. Church for refund of money

Petition received from Trustees of Baptist Church to refund the amount assessed (together with interest), against lots owned by said church for the construction of the Harrison extension Sewer

Which petition was refered to Committee on Finance

Vordemark & Son for permission to lay stone pavement

Petition received from Vordemark & Sons for permission to construct stone pavement on the same grade as Keystone Block pavement.

Which petition was refered to Committee on Streets

Com. on Fire Dept on new steamer

Report received from Committee on Fire Department suggesting a purchase of a new Steamer.

Which report was rec'd and placed on file

Same Committee submitted the following.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council;

Com on Fire Dept on cistern in 6th Ward

Your Committee on Fire Department to whom was referred Resolution of Councilman Hogan relative to erection of a cistern at a certain point in the 6th Ward would report that we do not deem it expedient to construct a Fire Cistern any place until spring opens.

L. Dessauer
J. W. Bull } Com.
S. F. Hanna

Which report was concurred in.

on Petition of Chicago Hose

Committee on Fire Department submitted the following.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council;

We your committee on Fire Department to whom was referred the petition of John Schaub praying Council to pay for 500 feet of Hose sent from Chicago

would report that we are in favor of paying $600 for said hose and all necessary couplings for same to be of same pattern and quality of coupling now in use in this city and to be approved by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Dept of Fort Wayne. Provided, that said Schenk withdraws any suit or suits now pending against said city of Fort Wayne to recover pay for said 500 feet of Hose and pay all costs accrued for said suit or suits

L. Dessauer
J. W. Bull } Committee
S. J. Hanna

Which report was concurred in.

Report of Commissioners on opening Force St.

Commissioners appointed to assess damages & benefits in opening Force Street.

Gentleman of the Common Council.

Your Committee appointed to assess the benefits and damages in opening and extending Streets having had due and legal notice to meet in the Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne on the 27th day of November 1871 and assess the benefits and damages in opening in opening and extending Force Street from the South side of the Foundry Addition South to the North side of Lots 2 & 3 of Hamers out lots in the city of Fort Wayne; have to report that they did meet on said day and proceeded to an examination of the Real Estate proposed to be appropriated: that they viewed the premises and finally considered all questions bearing upon the opening and extension of said St.

We Report. First That the strip of land 80 feet by sixty feet proposed to be taken in of the Value of $300

Second. We find that no part of this amount should be paid or borne by the City of Fort Wayne.

Third. We find that said Street when extended will run through a strip of land belonging to Barbary Kleiber Sr. Widow of Christopher Kleiber deceased and Barbary Kleiber Jr. Josephine Bassard & Mary Kleiber. Sebastian Kleiber minor heirs of Christopher Kleiber whose persons & property Barbary Kleiber Sr is guardian which land is described as follows Situated in Allen County City of Fort Wayne. Two & one half acres of land off the South side of the twenty acres tract of land conveyed to John M. Wooden by Samuel Hamar wife. deed dated Nov 14 1864 Recorded in deed record U. page 450 in the East half of the North west quarter of Section 12 in Township 30 North of Range 12 East which two acres are bounded as follows Commencing at the South West Corner of said 20 acres tract and running thence North 2½ deg. East 1091 feet to a stake thence North 5⅓ deg West 79 85/7 feet to a stake. thence South 2½ deg West 1091 feet a stake thence South 5⅓ deg East to the place of beginning. and we find that said strip of land will not be damaged beyond the value of the land taken. And we find further that that portion of said land

lying west of said Street as extended is benefitted in the sum of $100 and the land lying East of said Street as extended is benefitted in the sum of $100

J. B. Davis
R. B. Wilson
H. Dehone
John H. Hill
} Comms

Which report was received &

Your Committee appointed to assess damages & benefits in opening Samuel Street submitted the following report in favour of Samuel Slack.

Gentlemen of the Common Council.

Opening Samuel Street

Your Committee appointed to assess damages and benefits in the opening and extension of Streets having had due and legal notice to meet in Council Chamber of the City of Fort Wayne on the 27 day of December 1871 and assess the benefits and damages in the opening and extension of Samuel Street from its Western terminus West to Hanna Street. have to report that have on said 27 day of December 1871 met in the said Council chamber and proceeded to an examination of the real estate necessary to be taken and appropriated in the opening and extension of said Street and viewed the premises and heard evidence touching the matter before them and after having fully deliberated. Find.

First. That the strip of land necessary to be taken and appropriated being a strip of land 50 feet wide & 620 ½ feet long is of the value of $200.

Second. We find that the whole of this amount should be borne by City of Fort Wayne. Third. We find that the whole of this land comes off the lot owned by Bridget Curtis being the North half of Out Lot Nº 75 of Hannas Out Lots and that the proposed Street takes one half of the lot owned by said curtis and that the extension of said Street will pass through the dwelling of said Curtis. We find further that the Real Estate of said Bridget Curtis would be damaged in opening said Street to the amount of the value of strip of land and the cost of Moving the House making in all $1400. The difficulty in this case is and the only reason why we report that the city should pay for the land is that we are unable to agree upon a suffering. The extension of said Street passes all of the house of Peter Moran but does not go through his land; for this reason we are unable to assess him for benefits. We think it would be wholly wrong for the city to pay anything for the opening of said Street. If we may be permitted to recommend anything it would be that the parties interested settle the matter among themselves or that the matter be delayed until the city Charter be so amended that benefits may be assessed on parties benefits

All of which we respectfully submit.

Dec 7. 7. 71

J. B. Davis
R. B. Wilson
Henry Dehone
John H. Hill
} Coms

Which report is as follows

C. & E. Engineer submitted the following Contract of Chas Stellmatter for grading and planking the Sidewalk on the west side of Clay Street from the St Marys River Bridge to the Jackson & Lapeer Rail Road.

Contract of Chas Stellmatter for sidewalks on W. side of Clay St

CONTRACT

This agreement made and entered into this 12th day of December 1871 by and between Charles Stellmatter of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne of the second part.

Witnesseth. That the said party of the first part does covenant and agree to grade and plank the sidewalk on the west side of Clay Street from the St Marys River bridge to the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Rail Road, and for the following prices to wit:

For constructing the sidewalk per 1000 feet board measure Two Dollars and 5/100 dollars. ($3 11. 25). For the grading for Each Lot or Tenement Thirty Nine (39) Cents. Said amount to be collected by said party of the first part at his own expense from the owners of property bordering on the said sidewalk and from the Common Council for the Crossings of the streets & Corporation ways leading to said sidewalk.

And said party of the first part further agrees to furnish all labor and material and do the above said work according to the specifications herein contained and made a part of this agreement.

Charles Stellmatter [illegible]

For the City of Fort Wayne
C. S. Bruckenridge,

Proposal

To grade and plank the sidewalk on the west side of Clay Street from the St Marys river bridge to the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw R. R.

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne

Gentlemen. The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the specifications and under the directions of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit:

For lumber per 1000 ft B. M. 3450
" Embankment

Chas Stellmatter Contractor

Fort Wayne Ind Nov 28th 1871

To the Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen — If you award to C. Shuttmalter the above work or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to Specifications

And We further agree. That if the said Shuttmalter shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid then we will forfeit and pay the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) and all damages that the city may suffer in consequence of said Shuttmalter. Having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid

C. Shuttmalter.
Jn Taylor

Specisications

For Grading and planking Sidewalks on Cass Street from St Marys River Bridge to N. Wayne Jackson & Kanawa Rail Road

Gradings

The Grading to be in good clean earth free from perishable Material and be estimated by the C. Yds of filling

Planking

The frame and plank to be composed of good sound White Oak free from sap or rot.

The frame of the Trestle to be six feet apart. The sills to be 4" x 6" x 7 ft long The Caps 4" x 4" x 6 ft long.

" Posts 4 x 4

" Plank 1½ x 6 x 6 "

" Stringers 4 x 4 x

" Hand. rail 1½ x 3. planed Stuff.

The posts to be framed into the Caps & Sills and the plank spiked to the Stringers with 30# Nails. 4 nails to each plank.

Bond

Know all men by these Presents. That we Charles Shuttmalter & John Taylor of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the City of the City of Fort Wayne in the Sum of Two Hundred Dollars. The payment whereof well and truly to be made We bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Charles Shuttmalter shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 12th day December 1871 with the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne and fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent

and meaning thereof in all respects then this obligation to be void else to
wise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness.— Our hands and seals the day and year last above written
Chas. Hartmann (Seal)
John Snyder (Seal)

Which contract &c is the foregoing was approved.

C. C. Engineer submitted the following.

Estimate of C. W. Smith Cag. for Extra work on Sidewalks on Griffith St

City of Columbus, O. C. W. Smith, Dr.
To Extra 1 inch in thickness of sidewalk on North
East side opposite Free School 50
Changing old walk in front 50
Constructing drain under walks 1 00 2 00
I certify the above correct and the work having been done
C. A. Trembley
C. E.

Which bill was allowed and ordered paid.

Council then proceeded to find the following

Resolved. That the C. C. E. be and is hereby instructed forthwith to return the Estimate in favor of Schafer & Gribble for grading & paving gutters on Berry Street between Harrison Street & Webster Street.
Also in favor of same parties for grading and paving gutters on Berry Street from Fulton Street to Broadway.

Est in favor of Shafer & Gribble for grading Berry St from Harrison to Webster

In conformity with above resolution C. C. E. submitted following 1st Estimate allowed Schafer & Gribble for grading & paving gutters on same from Harrison Street to Webster Street. Grade $2 67/100 per linear foot for the grading, and 70 cents per foot for the paving of gutters.

Owners Names		Numbers Lot	Block	Assessment for Grading		Total	Remarks
James M. Kelly	The W 30 ft of	520	30	40 05		40 05	Paid
Abraham Oppenheimer		571	50	66 75		66 75	"
Elizabeth Evans		572	50	66 75		66 75	"
Solomon Rothschild		573	50	66 75		66 75	"
Wade C. Shaff		574	50	66 75	15 00	81 75	"
" " "		575	50	66 75	15 00	81 75	"
Charles L. Chichester		506	60	80 10		80 10	"
" " "	The W 25 ft of	507	25	33 37		33 37	"
Jessie L. Williams	" E 35 " "	507	35	47 73		47 73	"
Charles E. Vogel		518	60	80 10		80 10	
Louisa Sturgis		519	60	80 10		80 10	

I certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order from the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Approved January 17 1877
Alfert Sam. F. Freeman City Engineer
C. L. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer.

Which Estimate was approved & parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract & Estimate

In conformity with instructions to the Engineer submitted an Estimate allowed Schafer & Griebel for gravelling and Paving the pulls on Berry Street from Fulton to Broadway made at $7.67/100 per lineal foot for the travelling and 36 per lineal foot for the Paving

Estimate in favor of Schaffer & Griebel for gravelling Berry from Fulton to Broadway

Owners Names	Description	Numbers of Lot	Assessment for Gravelling	Paving	Total	Additions
Robert E. Fleming		12 16 50	66 75	18 00	84 75	Ewing
" " "	East p of	11 " 25	33 37	9 00	42 87	"
Hugh McCulloch	West " "	11 " 25	33 37	9 00	42 87	"
" "	East " "	10 " 25	33 37	9 00	42 87	"
Mary C. Angell	W p " "	10 " 25	33 37	9 00	42 87	"
" " "	Fit	9 " 22	29 37	7 92	37 29	"
" " "		51 28	37 88	10 08	47 46	Rockhill
" " "	E. 10 ft of	52 10	13 35	3 60	16 95	"
Adam D. Reid	W 51 p ft of	52 51½	68 49	18 54	87 03	"
D. S. Robertson	W 45 ft "	90 45	60 08	16 20	76 28	"
L. M. & George Humphrey	E 5 " "	90 5	6 67	1 80	8 47	"
" " " "	W 45 " "	91 45	60 08	16 20	76 28	"
Estate of James Humphrey	E 5 " "	91 5	6 67	1 80	8 47	"
" " "	Fit	92 15	20 02	5 40	25 42	"
" " " "		4 24 40	53 40	11 40	67 80	Ewing
Peter P. Binkley, Isaac D. G. Nelson, Franklin P. Randall, Charles D. Bond, Joseph K. Edgerton, William T. Abbott, George L. Lille, Warren H. Withers & John S. Irwin.	wardens & vestry Trinity Episcopal Church.	1 24 50	66 75	18 00	84 75	Ewing
		2 24 50	66 75	18 00	84 75	"
		3 24 55	73 47	19 80	93 27	"

I certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with an order from the Common Council of the City of Ft. Wayne.
Approved January 17 1877.
Sam. F. Freeman. City Clerk
C. L. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed, and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract & Estimate

Chief of Police on lamps not lit

Acting Chief of Police Diedrich Meyers submitted a report showing that there were 52 lamps out during the month of

during December

December.

Which report was referred to Com. on Fire

Assessor on appt'mt of Deputy

P. J. Metter, Assessor, reported that he had appointed Jno. M. Koch, Deputy, and he prayed Council to confirm said appointment;

Which appointment was confirmed.

Introduction of Ordinance for Water Works.

Committee on R. R. & O., introduced an Ordinance of the City of Fort-Wayne, authorizing an Election for voting as to whether Water Works shall be constructed or not, Which was read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Tower, the rules were suspended to have the Ordinance read a second time now; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway Bauer Dessauer Goshorn Hamm Hogan Morgan Morgan Schoeff Shybock, Tower, Trennuel Taylmeyer Underhill & Wilson, (15) Nays Bull (1) — So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion of Mr. Morgan, the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway Bauer Dessauer Goshorn Hamm Hogan Morgan Schoeff Tower, Taylmeyer Underhill & Wilson (13) Nays Stoll. Shybock & Trennuel (3) So the rules were suspended and an ordinance third time now. The question now being shall the ordinance pass? those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway. Bull. Bauer. Dessauer. Goshorn Hamm Hogan. Morgan. Morgan. Schoeff. Tower. Taylmeyer Underhill & Wilson (13) Nays Stoll. Shybock & Trennuel.

St. Comr to notify Sp. H. to open Force St.

Councilman Hathorn offered the following
Resolved that Street Commissioner be instructed to notify parties of the opening of Pryce Street by giving twenty days notice and after the expiration of the time that the Street Commissioner proceed to open said Pryce Street in conformity with law.

Which resolution was adopted.

for erection of lamp post in front of Jail

Councilman Gastmeyer offered the following
Resolved. That the City Clerk be & is hereby instructed to request the W.W. Gas Co to erect a lamp post on North Calhoun Street directly in front of the Jail place the name of said lamp post to be agreed upon.

Which resolution was adopted.

Street Comr to build bridge across Shawnee Creek

Councilman Underhill offered the following
Whereas the citizens living on the west part of Henry Street and vicinity are desirous of having a bridge built across Shawnee Creek on that street in order that they and the Public generally may be enabled to use the Street from Broadway to Barfield Avenue and
Whereas most of the citizens living in that part of the city are sending their children to the 6th Ward Free School and suffer great inconvenience for the want of a bridge at this place therefore
Resolved. That the City Civil Engineer be and is hereby instructed to proceed at once to have a suitable and substantial wooden Bridge built across Shawnee Creek on Henry Street such a one as will allow teams to pass and be on the proper grade when the Street comes to be fully improved
Which resolution was referred to Committee on Streets

Clerk to draw on Treasurer for 750.

Committee on Fire Dept Submitted the following Resolution
Resolved that the City Clerk be instructed to draw on the Treasurer for Seven Hundred and Fifty ($750) Dollars in favor of Gardner Tew & Co for new feet of Hose which have been recd October 23 1871 and have been in use ever since
L. Dessauer
J.W. Bull } Comm
L.S. Hanna } on F.D.

Which resolution was adopted.

St. Comr to reconstruct

Councilman Underhill offered the following
Resolved That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to reconstruct the culvert at the intersection of Hood Street with Broadway that he have the same rebuilt 3 by 4 feet square in the clear out of good Sound white Oak plank not less than 2½ and 3 inches thick also that he build a culvert the same size to connect with this and continue to the so called Baker Street ditch giving it the proper grade to effectually carry off the water from west of Broadway.

Which resolution was adopted

Clerk not to notify Com'rs open Hearing &c.

Commissioners Richard's Road &c. Ordered by Council

Resolved That the City Clerk be instructed to give no notice to the Commissioners to open the benefits and damages in opening Horace St. &c. which resolution was adopted.

The following Bills were then allowed

B. L. P. Williard	Stocks	$24.	Wm. Grage	Com Exps	$1.50
Henry Stiers	"	24	Geo. Runnels	" "	7.
John Lynch	"	24.	Chas. Rice	" "	7.
Henry Brown	"	4.	Chas. Spence	" "	7.
Wm. Manthey	"	37.50	Barney Quinn	" "	7.
Danl. McKendry	"	27.00	Reub. Stout	" "	7.
Morgan & Beach	"	88.47	Geo Brown	" "	7.
Chas Pape	"	17.50	Chas. Dagitz	" "	7.
D. A. Robinson	Com Exp	19.12	Michael	" "	7.
McCulloch & Richey	" "	7.00	Geo. Spencer	" "	7.
John. A. Droegemeyer	" "	7.50	Chas. Lacey	" "	7.
W. G. Stenger	" "	16.50	Fred Meyer	" "	7.
Stackpole & Bro	" "	56.50	Henry Merrill	" "	7.
G. Burbager	" "	6.00	Thos Rogers	" "	3.
Morgan & Beach	" "	1.10	Chas Duffy	" "	7.
F. W. Wayne Gas Co	Lights	45.40	" Rinehart	" "	7.
John H. Barr	" "	80.00	Jacob Shoemaker	" "	7.
Morgan & Beach	Police	8.95	George Summers	" "	7.
Wm. Waddington	Com Duties Police	13.16	Fred Fisher	" "	7.
John. A Droegemeyer	Fire Dept	3.50	John Murray	" "	7.
H. Sthair	" "	5.50	John Dietrich	" "	7.
Fechtcher & Powers	" "	7.50	George Swain	" "	7.
Morgan & Beach	" "	4.04	Ch. Mercer	" "	7.
Stenger	" "	7.00	Jos Conroy	" "	7.
A. Freitag		7.00	R. Stanley	" "	7.
E. Miller		7.00			

No further business, on motion Council adjourned to Council in Course.

Read Approved & signed, in open Council this 23d day Janry 1872.

Attest

Sam. P. Freeman
City Clerk

Y. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY of FORT WAYNE
Regular Session
January 26th 1892

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway Bull Carier Dessauer Goshorn Hanna Hogan Morgan Schoeff Stoll Shryock Tower Tremmel Tagtmeyer Underhill and Wilson (14) Absent, (none)

Minutes of last regular session read approved and signed.

Petition from Horton, et al., to

The following petition was read from E. A. Horton and over 600 other residents of the city.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council

The undersigned believing that the keeping of swine within the city limits endangers the health of those contiguous thereto, and in view of the fact that the Cholera may at any time make its appearance among us, & allow that Typhoid and low grade fevers are created & aggravated by the keeping within the thickly populated your Hon. Body, to make an Ordinance to prevent the keeping or allowing of swine within the following limits to wit: Hanna Street on the east, Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Rail Road on the South, Jackson Street on the west and St. Marys and Maumee Rivers on the North.

In connection with the above Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Rules Regulation and Ordinances be and are hereby instructed to report an Ordinance to prevent the keeping of swine in the limits prayed for by petitioners.

Mr. Stoll moved that the petition be laid on the table, which motion being put resulted as follows:- Ayes, Messrs Bull, Goshorn, Hogan, Schoeff, Stoll, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, and Underhill (8) Nays, Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hanna Morgan Shryock, Tower & Wilson (6) There being a tie vote his Hon. Mayor Randall voted in the negative, and so the petition was not laid on the table. Mr. Morgan then moved that the resolution be adopted; those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hanna, Morgan, Shryock, Tower & Wilson (8) Nays Bull, Goshorn, Hogan, Scoff, Stoll Tremmel Tagtmeyer & Underhill (6) There being a tie vote his Honor having the casting vote declared that the resolution was not passed. Mr. Morgan

moved that the petition be referred to Committee on R. R. & C. which motion prevailed.

Petition recd from Robert Lowry praying that an error on assessment for 1868, on his personal property, be adjusted.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Finance with instructions to report to Clerk as soon as possible.

Petition recd from Jos. F. France, praying Council to exempt a certain lot owned by petitioner from City taxation and also to purchase said lot from him

On motion of Mr. Shryock said petition was laid on the table.

Com. on Finance submitted following report:

[illegible] of Lindsay & Rosenthall [illegible] in relation to some difficulty [illegible] between them and [illegible] Co., [illegible] the account and asking the opinion of the Common Council thereon. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Which report was concurred in.

Same recd. on Petn of C.W. Lindsay & Co. praying extra compensation for Amount on Orders sold.

Com on Finance submitted following report:

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council,

[illegible]

Your Committee on Finance to whom was referred the matter of C. W. Lindsay & Co. asking that he be allowed 10% discount on the orders issued to him for the grading of Calhoun St. would state that the Council passed an ordinance to grade & gravel Calhoun street, the cost of which improvement (except for the crossings of streets and alleys) be paid by the property holders Parties bidding sent in their proposals accordingly, expecting cash for [illegible] work was allowed to Messrs Lindsay & Co and [illegible] a portion of [illegible] Feb. 14th, Board passed a resolution authorizing the payment of the said street to be paid by the City Clerk in City Orders. We are credibly informed that the [illegible] paid said Lindsay were sold by him at the highest Market price at that time which was 90¢ on the Dollar. As the Council passed the ordinance

and received bids for the grading to be paid by property holders (which would have been in cash) and afterwards which portion of the work was done. ordered the clerk to pay in city orders we would recommend that the $687.11 (as the amount paid said Lindley for said Grading $687.11. be paid said Lindley.

Geo - T. Wilson } Com

[illegible] was received in.

Com on Finance submitted the following report.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen. The Committee on Finance to whom was referred the bills of Knigoles for numbering the lots in the city have had the same under advisement and now report some months ago an ordinance was passed by the common Council authorizing said numbering to be done and the committee on Streets to contract for the same that ordinance was voted for by most of the council if not all by some means many of the council as it now appears were misled and induced to vote as they would not now vote were the vote to be taken again the perplexity and difficulty which has resulted should be sufficient admonitions to the Council to never vote hereafter upon any proposition, involving the expenditures of money without first knowing what the amount of the expenditures will be and whether the expenditures when made will be such as the Council can legally make. In the present case the ordinance was passed and a written contract entered into between the Street Committee and the contractor which specifies the bill and the manner of payment. the work is reported as having been done according to contract as made. The Street Committee who entered into the contract have reported to the Council that the work has been properly done with their report there is also a certificate of Civil Engineer to the same effect. The Street Committee also report that there is due on said contract to the Contractor $765 00/100. As to whether the work was properly done according to contract and as to the amount due we have thought it unnecessary to inquire for the reasons that they have been reported upon as above stated. The work having been found due the only question left is whether the Contractor shall be paid. We think it useless now to report as to the legality of the transactions after the contract has been made and fulfilled all such matters should be referred for legal decisions before the ordinance is passed or contract made we are satisfied that the Council has been mislead by the statements of a member that the matter had been so referred the Ordinance would not have passed without

[illegible] report [illegible] the [illegible] of the matter in case
there it sufficient to report the above principles of equity
the Court, after which shall a report whether amount is due and what
the amount we leave the Council to act upon it upon [illegible]
Committee [illegible]

[illegible] Submitted
[illegible] Council
[illegible] Clerk

[illegible] report [illegible]

Report of Committee on Finance submitted [illegible] report.

Com on Finance submitted the following report.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council of the city of Ft Wayne.

Gentlemen your committee on Finance to whom was referred the petition of William Littlag and the First Baptist Church in relation to removal assessments against certain Churches have had the same under consideration and now report William Littlag the sum that the City should pay to there assessments against the First Baptist Church amounts to $301.20/100 and interest from September 21st 1874 which is in all $375.29. We cannot see that the City should pay out for the following reasons. When the Ordinance was passed by the Council to build the sewer on Clinton Street for which this Church was assessed the contractors knew just exactly what property the City would receive for the cost of construction neither could they, when they entered into the contract. They did not know and were not bound to know whether after the work was done they had a right to expect that the City would pay such an assessment as would be collected of it's work was done and the assessment collected together with the other Churches in the vicinity assessed for the same which brought an action to enjoin the collection of the assessment. These actions were brought against the contractors as well as with the city. It was agreed by the Council for the Churches and the City and Contractor that the case of the First Presbyterian Church should be made a test case and that the other Churches should abide by whatever decision should be made in that case so far as applicable. The case was decided in the Common Pleas Court of our County in favor of the city and contractors. The case was appealed to the Supreme Court & the city paid the amount of the judgment to the Supreme Court pending the decision of the Supreme Court whether the Church could be assessed for sewer improvements. This decision was rendered without any consideration as to whether or not the Church was receiving the benefit of the sewer so far as the record showed the Church was receiving the benefit of the sewer, as a matter of fact the Church was not under any necessity of connecting the sewer so far as the Church was [illegible]

James Hunt continued

concerned. the decision of the supreme court is finial that the assessment can not be collected. Little & Co also state that they were compelled to comply council and ask that an allowance be made for the services of the same. we do not know that they were compelled to employ Council if they choose to do so they had the undoubtable right as any one else we know that the council for the city gave the lease this personal attention both in the court below and in the Supreme Court & that he submitted a carefully prepared brief in the Supreme Court and went on several occasions to the supreme court in relation to it. and was instrumental in getting the case decided at the time it was an examination of the opinions of the court show how successfully and fully he managed the case. It is really no part of the duty of the city attorney to attend to such cases. but he did do so and we Endorse his action. a bill for cost in the supreme court of $ 78 ⁷⁰/₁₀₀ has been sent down and by us allowed in the case under consideration these costs have adjudged against the contractor as well as the city leaving the cost of the brief filed by our atty $ 15 00 and the travelling expenses the whole ammounts to about $ 70. which the city will have expensed. this we conclude should be paid by the city and not charged up to the contractor as it is of some importance to the city to have the questions involved settled as we before said this was the case for all the charges five in Number and if attorneys fees have been expended all of the Contractors in these Church cases. should Share in the Burden However is a matter to be settled among themselves.

The petition of the First Baptist Church that not understanding the law and believing themselves bound to pay they did pay the assessment against them for the sewer on Washington Street and there is now due there under the decisions of the Supreme Court $ 101 or about that we learn from Col Humphrey one of the trustees: that they are not using the sewer suspecting the case they are in the same condition as the First Presbyterian Church except that they paid without litigation and the city has had the use of the money from the date of payment. It is but fair and equitable that this Church should be treated as we feel ourselves bound to treat the Presbyterian Church and hence we recommend that the amount asked in the petition be the amount paid and six per cent from date of Payment refunded the same difficulty with the English Lutheran Church the assessment against it was $ 41 42 ²⁰/₁₀₀ which amount with interest is still due at the time however the sewer was being built this Church ordered a Commotion put in and at once used the sewer and has ever since continued to use it they claim however that in the Year previous to the building of the sewer on Clinton Street they had by express permission of the council built a wooden

sewer to connect with the City sewer at a cost
expense of near $400 has present a matter of considerable
what difficult to deal with and unless the will without cause dispose
of the matter we will ask further time. The German Evangelical Church
on Washington Street was assessed for the sewer on Clay Street $111.15
which with the interest from September 7th 1886 is now due the Contractors. This Church at the time the sewer was being built, protested
connection to be put in and has [illegible], and now as to pay the sewer
We think this church should be compelled to pay for the sewer as
assessed. This church probably is benefited by the sewer
as any individual would be and can not be permitted without the
use of the sewer. The church organization has no moral right to
receiving a benefit for which in good conscience it should pay but
refuse to pay. We recommend in this case that the City do not assume
and pay the assessments. But the fact that it is using the sewer
be placed as a default to its action of injunction now pending whether
this or that the council through some offences given notice to the Church
Trustees of said church that unless the assessment is paid the connection
with the sewer will be at once cut off. Both cases might be passed
at the same time. In making this recommendation we are aware of the
fact that for sewer purposes churches are not taxed and this is the
sufficient reason why they should not pay for the sewer. Regarding
the church as a congregation of persons we are treating them all Christian
as we would any one of them singly. If this property was assessed
this defense of the cases of Trinity Lutheran Church and
Petition of Hiram Addings. This petition is about the same kind
of William Littlejohn &c. Addings & Meyers built the sewer on Clay
Street and had an assessment therefore on the property there was
assessed against the Cathedral property $ [illegible] which is the sum
cost is due at the same time there was assessed against the Third
Presbyterian church $220. with interest which is due. The
condition of these cases is similar to that of [illegible]
Church both of them have been from the first and now are
using the sewer and cannot well do without it and for
this sewer has been built both we have no doubt would have been
compelled to build some kind of sewer or drain. The sewer
fact added to the value of both these properties much more than the
amount assessed, we regard it therefore as entirely equitable that
they should pay for the benefits received and therefore recommend
the same to be passed as in the case of the Lutheran Reformed, in which
case asks an allowance for Atty fees in case of no pay. Action is
pended in this case unless the contributes the payment of the loss
in the case of the First Church and City. As to these we have
already made a recommendation

on petition of Addings for

Report of Committee

O.W. Bull
Geo. N. Wilson } Com on Finance

[illegible] report was concurred in.

Committee on Claims submitted the following
Resolution of the Common Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of [illegible] McClure asking that the same be rejected, and in support of granting the prayer of the petitioner. The petition asks that the Trustee be instructed to pay said claim and your committee would recommend that said claim be rejected.

Respectfully, Submitted
T. M. Zollinger } Com
John B. Kaiser } on
M. J. Cavanaugh } Claims

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets Submitted the following.
To the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of E. Vordemark & son requesting the privilege of laying down a stone pavement on the same grade as Keystone Block pavement in front of Building No. 4 Phoenix block Calhoun Street beg leave to report adversely to said petition unless property owners on said block all agree to conform at once to said grade on petition for so as to have it uniform.

M. J. Cavanaugh } Com
Henry Stall } on
Jno. Hogan } Streets

[illegible] report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following.
To the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the resolution of P. B. Underhill asking for a bridge across Shawnee Creek on Henry Street beg leave to report that they have with the City Civil Engineer examined the premises and found that a culvert in said creek was necessary before the construction of said Bridge & the grading of said Henry Street East of said Shawnee Creek a work that can not very well be done at this present season. Your Committee would therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution provided that the work thereon shall not be performed until such grading

Annual Report of Board of Health

Board of Health submitted the following report.

To the Mayor & City Council.

We hereby tender to you our annual report.

1st. The health throughout the City has been very good as the mortuary report in the Hands of your Clerk will show.

2d. We have examined & abated most of the nuisances coming under of notice. We had to give 150 legal notices & prosecute several before his honor the mayor in most cases however verbal notice was sufficient.

3rd. In regard to keeping hogs within the City limits we respectfully refer you to our last report the petitions in circulation in the City, will show the majority, in favor not to allow said practice.

4th We would further respectfully suggest that an ordinance be passed that children be debarred from attending school in any part of the county, or town in the State of Texas without being vaccinated. In order to prevent the introduction of small pox into our City have been successful thanks to. rescission and other precautionary measures. On October the 18th when small pox began to rage in other cities we notified the School authorities not to admit children without being effectually vaccinated and their compliance we think has served to prevent measles the Mortality.

Sam'l. P. Rosenthal.
Pres Board of Health

Which report was received and placed on file,

Report of Committee of Board of Health on necessity of appointing Sanitary Officer

Mr. Rosenthal Pres Board of Health submitted the following report.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council,

It is customary, in other cities that one of Board of Health act as sanitary officer & receive compensation Commensurate to the services rendered & I have for several years & especially the last year faithfully attended to all the duties of a sanitary officer examined over 300 premises have written all notices visited places said to be infected with small pox and other contagious diseases attended when necessary, the Mayor Council & I have vaccinated 240 school children for which I have received any compensation which according to Chapter XIV Sec 6 revised Ordinances is to be done at the expense of the city.

& therefore respectfully pray your hon body may allow to me for the services rendered to the city for the passed year of

above said association such communication you may deem just and right and that the salary of the acting Sanitary officer whoever he may be in the future be regulated commensurate with the libraious duties devolved upon him.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Isaac M. Rosenthal

Which report was referred to Com on Finance

Affidavit of Wm Sheridan for precept against Wm Fleming

City Clerk presented an affidavit of Wm Sheridan contractor for constructing brick sidewalks on Ewing street and praying that a precept be issued against

Lot No 1 Blk 33 owned by Wm Fleming to secure the sum of $37.96

of [illegible] for Mary Wheeler

also affidavits of John W. Langohr contractor for grading & paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Union to Rockhill street, and praying that precepts be issued against-

~~State~~ West 23 ft of Lot No 113 Rockhill's Add. to secure the sum of $39.67

" " 188 " " " " " " " 163.83

Said lots being owned by Mary Wheeler.

of Langohr, vs. Jos. Broche

also affidavit of John W. Langohr contractor for grading & planking the sidewalks on Williams street from Harrison street to Webster street and praying that precepts be issued against the

East half of Lot 8 Williams Add" owned by Joseph Broche to secure the sum of $1.50

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

Clerk on some one to keep water closet in [illegible]

Clerk asked that some one be appointed to cleanse out and keep in good condition the earth closet. No action taken.

[illegible] to appoint John Hamilton, Asst Police

Councilman Taylmeyer offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That John Hamilton be and he is hereby appointed Captain of the Police force of Fort Wayne to serve out the unexpired term.

Councilman Bradway offered the following as an amendment-

Resolved, That Michael Singleton be and he is hereby appointed Captain of the Police force for the unexpired term.

Upon the ayes & nays being taken Messrs Bradway, Carie, Dessauer Goshorn, Hogan, Schoepf & Tremmel (7) voted in the affirmative. Those voting in the negative were Messrs Bull, Hamma, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Taylmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (9) So the amendment did not prevail. The question being shall the resolution as originally offered, pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Dessauer, Hamma, Morgan, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Taylmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (10) Nays Bradway,

Resolutions

Carey, Goshorn, Hogan, Schoeff & Trennmel (6), So the resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following:-
Whereas, There is to be an Election on the 30th day of January to decide in relation to Water works, and as there seems to be a misunderstanding in regard to the number of miles of pipe to be laid Therefore
Be it Resolved, That there be at least 15 miles of pipe that the whole city may be equally benefitted by the improvement
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Underhill Offered the following:
Whereas, The citizens on West Washington street and vicinity are desirous of having a Gas light placed at the corner of West Washington street & Broadway, and
Whereas, owing to there being two culverts at the crossing of these streets and the ditches very deep, which are open at each end of said culverts and consequently persons liable to run into them in dark nights and thus endanger life and limb by the city liable for damages in such cases and,
Whereas, in each direction (East, West, North & South) from [illegible] already erected Gas lights within one square of said point therefor
Resolved, That the [illegible] Gas Light Company be and [illegible] instructed to erect a gas post and put in order a Gas Light at the [illegible] and that the city agree to pay the Gas Company at the rate of thirty cents per [illegible] for the use of pipe required to supply the Gas for the post measuring from the nearest point practicable to their main pipes now laid down
Which resolution was adopted

for Estimate for Sidewalks

Councilman Stoll offered the following:
Resolved, That the C. C. E., be instructed forthwith to prepare a first Estimate in favor of Charles Streetmatter for grading and Planking Sidewalks on North side of Water street between Bain & Calhoun
Which resolution was adopted.

In conformity with instructions C. C. E. submitted following First Estimate allowed Charles Streetmatter for Grading & Planking Sidewalks on North side of Water street between Bain & Calhoun made @ 30 cts. per cubic yard for the grading and 40 cents per lineal foot for the Planking.

Owners Names	Description	Number of Tool	Number of Foot	Assessment for Grading	Planking	Total	Additions
Jacob J. Neff		3	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	
B. H. Tower		4	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	
Patrick Welsh		6	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	
Eugene Corneille	East ½	7	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
John T. Bowers,	West ½	7	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
B. H. Tower,		8	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	
Hoagland & Williams		9	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	
Do Do	Und ½	10	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Mrs. Eliza Hanna	Und ½	10	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Hamilton & Williams	West ½	11	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Fred Metzy	East ½	11	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Charles & Frank Chauvery	East ½	12	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Henry Sharp	West ½	12	30	3 60	12 00	15 60	
Do Do		13	60	7 20	24 00	31 20	

Rec'd pay in full
H. Sharp, for self
& Co.
C Stratemiller

I certify the above Estimate is correct and made in accordance with
an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Ind. Jan. 4 18 72
C. B. Bracken
City Civil Engineer
Attest Dan'l Freeman City Clerk

The Common Council is now moved & approved and parties
ordered to pay contractor or order contract and Estimate.

The following Bills were then allowed

U. S. P. Wilson	Streets	5 21	C. W. Landgrebe	Streets	29.30
Ted Thompson	"	24.	Patrick Doyle	"	8.62
E. Reed	"	24.	Chas. Stratemiller	"	43.68
John Lynch	"	4	John A. Bregemeyer	Com Exp	4.00
Henry Stein	"	2	Wilson, Schneidewinds	" "	94.60
Fred Brown	"	4	James Little	Police	7.75
Daniel Mahoney	"	27.	C. A. Zollinger	"	63.75
					16.30

T. P. Randall
Mayor

Read approved & signed in open
Council this 13th day of Feby A.D. 1872.
Attest
Dan'l Freeman
City Clerk

CITY of FORT WAYNE
Registered
Feb 13 1 [illegible]

Council met pursuant to adjournment Present his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Desvaux, Goshorn, Hogan, Schoeff, Shryock, Tower, Tagtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (11) Absent, Carier Hanna Morgan Schoeff & Stoll (5)

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

The following petition was recd signed by 2000 tax payers and citizens:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council.
of the city of Fort Wayne,

The undersigned residents of said city would respectfully petition the Council to take any and all legal means within their power to prevent the organization of an independent and separate municipal government adjoining the present city limits on the south, believing that such an organization would do a great and irreparable injury to the city.

Signed by

Which report was referred to Committee on Public Grounds and City Attorney, with imperative instructions to report at next regular Council night-

The following petition was received from J.S. Goshorn:-

To the Hon. Mayor &c.

The undersigned petitioner would respectfully ask your Honorable Body to grant him permission to erect a temporary wooden in connection with our carriage shop on Lot No. 15, N.E. corner of Calhoun and Jefferson streets.

On motion the prayer of petitioner was granted.

Petition recd from M. Carey & 3 others praying that Lamp posts be erected at the corners of Clay and Jefferson streets; also at the corner of Monroe and Jefferson streets.

Which petition was referred to Com on Gas.

Petition received from E. Siedel C. Schiefer & M. Kedetzin praying Council to pass an Ordinance to grade pave & curb on the North side of Main street from Barr to Lafayette streets similar to those on West Berry streets.

Which prayer of petitioners was granted.

Petition received from Bodemann & Sons et al praying that said

Vordemark & Sons be permitted to lay down pavement of the same grade as the pavement in front of the Keystone Block, and that this be established as the future grade of the block.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Streets.

Petition was received from Wm. Meyers owner of Lot No. 6, Block 34 Ewings addition praying that City sell to petitioner a narrow strip of land adjoining said lot.

Which petition was referred to Com on Public Lands & City Attorney.

Petition received from B. Phillips and 33 others praying that the sidewalks on Main from Harrison street to Edsall street be graded paved and curbed to a width of 10 feet.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets and Civil Engineer.

Jno Hamilton, recently elected Chief of Police tendered his resignation

Which resignation was accepted.

Com on Sewers submitted the following report:-

To his Honor the Mayor & Common Council:-

We your Committee instructed to examine the petition of James Sommers and Maurice Cody in regard to the building of 140 feet of sewer on Baker Street west from Calhoun Street beg leave to report that said James Sommers and Maurice Cody have had built at their own expense a double ring 6 foot sewer 140 feet long at a cost of $6.00 per foot, and also the necessary filling at 30¢ per yard, all of said work being done under the immediate superintendence of the C. C. E. and Superintendent of Sewers and to their entire satisfaction. We also find that the City afterwards had said sewer continued several hundred feet for which $8.00 per foot was paid for masonery, and fill at 40¢ per yard; the city paying for one half of the masonery and all of the fill, and the property benefitted paying the remainder. We therefore recommend that said James Sommers and Maurice Cody do be allowed the one-half of the amount paid by them for the necessary filling and constructing said 140 feet of sewerage, and that said amount so allowed be given as a credit on their taxes.

Respectfully submitted

J. S. Goshorn } Com. on
T. Hogan } Sewers.

Which report was referred back to Com. on Sewers.

City Clerk submitted the official vote of the Inspectors of the Election held in the several wards for & against "Water Works"

Which report was, without reading, received and ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following report.

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council:

Gentlemen:—

I have the honor herewith to present to you a report of work done in my department during the year ending January 1st 1872

				Amt paid by City	Amt paid by Property Holders
		Streets			
		Grading & Graveling			
Berry,		Calhoun to Broadway	2344	2023,73	5922,16
Calhoun,		R. R. South to "City Limits"	2505	823,05	1556,05
Lewis,		Calhoun to Hanna	2616	1212,71	1455,27
Hanna,		Charles " Creighton	1500	1353,75	1244,47
Douglas Ave.		Calhoun " McClellan	1146	395,15	561 53
		Total	10111	$5501,39	$11771,51
		Sidewalks			
		Brick			
Hanna St.		Calhoun to College	7052	1031,55	7475,25
Ewing "		Main " George	3310	3320	1656,05
		Total	10362	1114,75	9164,36
		Sidewalks			
		Plank			
Hanna Rd		Hanna to College	4329,	251,11	1320,46
Griffith St		Main " George	2541	4855	875,71
Calhoun "		Williams " Creighton	1038		368,49
Montgomery "		Barr " Hanna	617	1410	272,09
Walnut "		Fairfield " Oakley	918.	852	3174
Harrison "		Dawson " Butler	958	852	292,80
Wallace "		Clinton " Lafayette	714	9765	278,07
Water "		Barr " Calhoun	684	4368	312,00
Hanna "		South of R. R.	874	750	415,22
		Total	12,773	$479,63	4452,24
		Alley			
		Gravel			
Lewis to George bet. McClellan & Ewing			618	230	279,86

Drains

Brick 4½ feet diam. Egg shape

Holman street Barr to Lafayette	390.	$927.59	$986.38

18in Glazed clay Pipe

Pearl st Harrison to Ewing	944.	367.71	1375.22
" alley Calhoun " Clinton	305	900.	636.00
	1249	1304.30	2997.60

Recapitulation

Total amt paid by City Genl Fund	$8,702.87
Property owners	28,665.57
Total Expenditure	$37,367.94

From the foregoing, it will be seen that the total length of street improvements made under the direction of this Department, during the year was 33,864 lineal feet or 6 4/10 miles.

The amount paid by the city out of the General Fund being less than one third of the total expenditures and the smallest amount expended in any one year since 1864.

I would respectfully call the attention of your Hon. Body to the importance of providing drainage facilities for portions of the city which are now suffering for want of them. The district south of the Rail-road and East of Calhoun street comprising fully one fourth of the city in area depends for an outlet to its drainage on one small broken down stone culvert which discharges into the Baker street sewer, which is also compelled to receive the torrent pouring down from the East end.

The construction of a sewer on Clay street, is in my opinion the cheapest and most feasible remedy. This was proposed more than two years ago, but on the account of the high price of labor and material at that time it was post-poned, That objection no longer exists, and I can see no reason why the work should not be pushed forward at once. The proposed sewer from the Canal to Holman street can be built now for about Twenty (20,000) Thousand Dollars, of this the city need only pay a portion and the balance could be assessed against the large amount of property benefitted, without serious inconvenience to any one.

Unless some steps are taken in this direction very soon the city may be called upon to pay in damage to shops and other property in the neighborhood of the depot, enough to build the sewer

A sewer is also much needed in the west end. If

this you have ample proof in the shape of the frequent petitions from the citizens of that end of the city praying for better drainage. Brick sewer 4½ feet in diameter on Broadway or Jackson street, thence on Main west to the river would afford the necessary relief.

I would also recommend that contracts for work be let earlier in the season, than has been customary heretofore, in order that contractors may have sufficient time to provide proper labor and material, and finish their work before winter sets in.

All of which is most respectfully submitted,

C. F. Brackenridge

C. C. C.

Which report was received and placed on file, and Clerk instructed to have same published in the Fort Wayne "Sentinel" "Gazette," and "Staats Zeitung"

Election of Chief of Police

On motion of Mr. Bull, Council went into an election of Chief of Police to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John Hamilton, D. Meyer and M. Singleton were nominated and a ballot had resulting as follows:-

Meyer 6,

Singleton 5, Total No of votes cast 11.

Mr. Meyer having received a majority of all the votes cast was declared duly elected.

Chief of Police reporting lights out

Chief of Police reported 49 street lights as not burning during the month of January 1872.

Which report was referred to Committee on Gas.

Introduction of ordinance to grade & pave S. W. on both sides Main

Councilman Dessauer introduced an Ordinance to grade and pave with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Main street from Harrison to Edsall street, which was read a first time now.

Resolution to erect lamp post on West side of Clinton

Councilman Hogan offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Gas be instructed to have a lamp post erected on the West side of Clinton street opposite St. Joseph's Accademy.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Gas.

On motion Council adjourned.

Read, Approved & Signed
in Open Council this 27th day of Feby 1872,

Attest

Sam'l P. Freeman
City Clerk

Mayor

CITY OF FT WAYNE
Called Session
February 14th AD 1872.

Council met in called session in pursuance to the following:-

City of Ft Wayne Feby 14th 1872

To the Marshal of said City:-

You are hereby directed to notify each one of the Councilmen of said city to meet at the Council Chamber on this evening at half past six o'clock in special session to take action upon such matters as shall be presented for their consideration

Witness my hand and official seal the date above written

J.P. Randall (seal)
Mayor

Present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the chair and Councilmen Broadway, Bull, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shyock, Tower, Trentel, Teglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) — Absent Carnes (on account of illness) (1)

Councilman Stoll offered the following resolution

Be it Resolved, By the Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne, that the boundaries and corporate lines of the city of Fort Wayne be so extended as to include the following Lots and parts of Lots:-

First, Lots Numbered 3-4-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-17-18-19-20-21-22-23 24-25-26-27 & 28 of Fairfield's Out-lots, as the same are laid off and recorded in the records of Allen County, in the custody of the Recorder of said County in his office; also Lots Numbered 1-2-3-4-5-6 7-8 & 9 of C. D Bond's Sub-division of Out-lot No. 5 of Fairfield's Out-Lots as the same are laid off, platted and recorded in the Records of Allen County in the custody of the Recorder of said county in his office.

Said Out lots Numbered 3-4-5-6-17-18-19 & 20 being situated in the South East Quarter of the South-west Quarter of Section Eleven (11) Township 30 North of Range 12 East, and said lots Numbered 7-8-9 10-11-12-13-14-21-22-23-24-25-26-27 & 28, being situated in the East half of the North west Quarter of Section Fourteen (14) Township Thirty (30) North of Range 12 East

Second, Lots Numbered 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16 of Wayne Township Out-lots as the same are laid off platted and recorded in the Records of Allen County in the custody of the Recorder of said County in his office; the same being situated in the West half of the North West Quarter of Section Fourteen (14) Township Thirty (30) North of Range 12 East.

Whereas, Lots Numbered 1-2-3-4 5-6-7 8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16 17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38 of Broadway Park as the same are laid off platted and recorded in the Records of Allen County, in the custody of the Recorder of said County in his office. The meter & boundaries of said lots above named & by this resolution annexed to the city of Fort Wayne are as follows:- Viz:- Beginning at the South-east corner of Out-lot Number Six of Fairfields Out-lots, the same being the South Quarter post of Section Eleven in Township Thirty (30) North of Range 12 East; thence South forty chains to the center of Section 14, Township 30- Range 12 East; thence West 40 chains on the half Section line of said Section Fourteen to the Quarter Post of said Section; thence North forty chains to the North-west corner of said Section Fourteen (14); thence South-west to the intersection of the North line of Lot Numbered One (1) Broadway Park with the Bluffton road (the said Northern line of Lot No One (1) being the North line of Thompsons Partition Lot Numbered Four as recorded in the Recorders Office) thence South along the west line of the Bluffton Road 24 degrees, eighteen (18) chains and ten links; thence South 26 degrees West Fourteen (14) chains and forty-five links; thence South 10¾ degrees West ten chains; thence Westerly to the East bank of the St. Marys river two chains and ninety five links; thence Northerly along the East bank of the St. Marys river to the intersection of the North line of Lot Numbered Four (4) Thompsons Partition Lots being the same as the North line of Lot Number Five (5) Broadway Park) with said river; thence North 85 degrees East along said line, thirty-three (33) chains to the middle of the Bluffton road being the Section line between Sections 14 & 15 Town 30 Ranges 2 East; thence North to the North-west corner of Section Fourteen (14); thence East Twenty (20) chains; thence North twenty chains; thence West Twenty (20) chains; thence South Twenty (20) chains to the place of beginning.

A plat of the lots above mentioned is attached to this resolution and made a part of it.

And be it further Resolved, That all of said lots and parts of lots above mentioned and described, together with all roads and ways and highways of every description running the same, and the same are hereby included within the corporate limits of the City of Fort Wayne and made a part of said city and subject to her control and jurisdiction, the same in every particular, as other territory now within her corporate limits

Signed Henry Stoll.

Which resolution was adopted by the following vote:- Ayes, Broadway, Bull, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stutz, Shryock, Tower, Tummins, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays (None)

Councilman Schoff offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That the City Marshal be instructed to provide to have the "Comody" in the Marshal's room kept clean and in good order,

Which resolution was unanimously adopted

Councilman Shryock offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Gas Committee be instructed to make arrangements with the Gas Company to extend their Gas pipe in the Ninth Ward, so that Gas Posts may be put up at the crossing of the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Railway, on Wells street & Cass Street.

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Gas.

Councilman Shryock Offered the following:-

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to ascertain whether or no, 2 Lots adjoining the lot upon which the 9th Ward School House stands can be purchased for School purposes, at a fair price

and report accordingly at the next meeting of the Council & therein recommend whether or not the purchase be necessary.

On motion of Mr. Bradway the Committee on Education were instructed to act as such Committee. On motion of Mr. Hogan his Honor Mayor Randall was added to the Committee

Diedrich Meyers newly elected Chief of Police presented his official bond reading in these words & figures to-wit:-

Bond.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we Diedrich Meyers, David A. Robrsin & D. B. Bond of the County of Allen and State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do by these presents, firmly bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators; sealed with our seals and dated this 11th day of January 1872.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Diedrich Meyers was on the 13th day of February 1872, duly elected by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, to the office of Chief of Police. in and for the said City of Fort Wayne, Allen County, Indiana, for the unexpired term, and until his successor is elected and qualified,

Now if the said Diedrich Meyers shall well, truly, faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of his said office, and pay over according to law, all monies that may, by virtue of his said office, come into his hands, then this bond shall be null and void, otherwise, to remain in full force and effect in law.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, the day and year above written.

Diedrich Meyers, (Seal)
D. A. Robrsin, (Seal)
D. B. Bond, (Seal)

Which Bond was accepted and Clerk ordered to place same on file.

The following bills were then allowed.

B. L. P. Williard	Streets	$81.00	Old Renor	Streets	$4.00
Nels Thompson	"	36.00	Henry Brown	"	10.00
Emil Renor	"	36.00	L. C. Davis	"	18.00
John Lynch	"	4.00	Jno. H. Hill	"	21.00
Henry Schopman	"	4.00	C. C. Wilson	"	21.00
John Bonfoi	"	2.00	H. Schoney	"	21.00
Con Lucil	"	4.00	B. H. Freitman	"	14.00

Wm Mauthey	Streets	60.00	Jno Kleckner	Election	4.50
Danl McKeiney	"	40.50	H. Schamperico	"	3.
6 Mo Flehaney	"	5.00	Jno Arndt	"	3
P. J. [illegible]	"	11 50	Theo Hardendorf	"	3
[illegible]	Police	3.75	W. H. Anderson	"	3
[illegible]	"	27.00	J. H. Bloomhuff	"	4.50
[illegible]	Bailiff	22.50	R. L. Blish	"	3.00
[illegible]	Police	3.50	F. L. Durste	"	3.
Wilm Schuckmacher	"	3.50	Mar Nirkhofer	"	3
Bass & Smith	Fire Dept	97.25	Jos Lindeman	"	3.
B. Bauer	" "	4.00	F. C. Freeman	"	7.50
Jno Schmid	"	4.00	Geo Little	"	3.
Jno Bell	" "	4.00	H. L. Shafer	"	3.
Jno A Droegemeyer		34.14	Geo Fisher	"	5.
H. L. Wagner	"	47.75	Jno Arnold	"	3.
Thos Boizer	"	6.00	Jno Schake	"	4.50
Jno H. Kraff	"	2.00	Jno Baker	"	3.
August Keiling	" "	73.50	C. L. Reed	"	3.
P. J. Barbier	" "	1.50	Joseph Leuckfeld	"	3.
George Swain	" "	2.00	H. Johns	"	3.
C. P. Kyle Notes	" "	2.00	Jno L. Leach	"	4.50
Thos Hopley	" "	7.35	Wm H. Myers	"	3.
Wm Kuhnle	Com Exp	40.00	Geo Carroll	"	3.
Jno A Droegemeyer	"	2.50	Saml Reiter	"	3.
G. Link	" "	1.70	Edward Hoelerich	"	3.
D. L. Robinson	" "	4.50	Jacob Geiss	"	4.50
L. W. Smith	" "	118.50	Peter Peter	"	3.
[illegible]	Printing	40.80	W. A. Wohlford	"	3.
Geo D Lammersmeier	"	103.50	Valentine Pfeilsch	"	3.
H. Wayne Gazette &c	"	17.75	C. C. Greene	"	3.
Jno C. Volkfreund Pub &c	"	7.00	Henry Schone	"	4.50
Thos S. Taylor	"	10.60	Byron Davis	"	3.
W. K. Steele	"	7.50	Frank Gibson		3.
Jno He Bass	3 meetings with W.W. Com Duties	8.25	Louis Smaw		3.
Jno E. Morgan	3 meetings with W.W. "	8.25	Jno H. Prange	"	3.
Wm Jägtmeyer	3 meetings with W.W.	8.25	Nick Berry	"	4.50
B. K. Power	1 meeting on Hog question VI " 1 with W.W.	5.50	Adam Breck		3
S. S. Underhill	Same "	5.50	Jno Wefel	"	3
H. Hanna	Same	5.50	C. C. Fletcher	"	3
Wm Schmidt	Pest House	24.40	Com Hill Jr	"	3
B. L. Williard	Election	4.50	Etzell Reed	"	5
H. N. Pittman	"	3.	H. J. Reed & Co	"	5
H. Wegman	"	5	Chr Dreiteil	"	5
Jno Rupert	"	3	Henry Schoney	"	5
Louis Schaar	"	3	Geo Mauer	"	5

Read Approved and signed
in open Council
this 27th day
of February 1872
attest

Sam'l P. Furman
City Clerk

L. P. Randall
Mayor

CITY OF FORT WAYNE
Regular Session
Febry 27th A.D. 1872

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present, his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (13) absent Bull Goshorn & Hanna.

Minutes of last regular and special session read approved and signed.

Petition recd from Jno Taylor representing that the South 50 feet of Lot No 91 O.P. is exorbiantly assessed, also Lots 55 & 56; also Lots Nos 3 & 4 Hannas O.L. S.E. 1/4 Sec 1 & Lot. The petitioner therefore prays for a reasonable reduction on said assessments

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance

Petition recd from Hugh T. Hanna, et al, praying that Council accept an organization in the Fire Department who had formed themselves into a Hook & Ladder & Bucket Co in the 3rd Ward, and also to give them the Truck now run by the "Alerts" when the new one of the latter Company arrived.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Fire Dept.

Com on Streets submitted the following report:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

Your Committee to was referred petition of B. Phillips and others asking for an Ordinance for the construction of sidewalks on Main street from Harrison, west to Edsall streets similar to the sidewalks built on Wayne street, and to the width of 12 feet on each side beg leave to report in favor of the granting of said petition and of the immediate passage of an Ordinance ordering the construction of said sidewalks as petitioned for.

Respectfully
A.H. Carier,
T. Hogan,
Henry Stoll,
} Committee on Sts.

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report-

To the Hon. Mayor and
Common Council of the City of
Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of E. Vordemark & Sons and others asking for privilege of putting down a sidewalk in front of their building in Phoenix Block Calhoun street on the same grade of that in front of Key-stone Block on same street beg leave to report in favor of said petition provided that all the owners of property in said Phoenix Block also agree to build their sidewalks at once to the same grade and in the same manner as petitioned for by E. Vordemark & Sons. Your Committee are of the opinion that if done by all interested as property owners in said Block it would create a bad precedent for the future in likely many other parts of the City. Your Committee furthermore say that a uniform policy is by all means the safest and best for the interest and the satisfaction of the public in general. Our motto is "as you serve one, serve all"

Respectfully submitted
A. H. Carier
T. Hogan
Henry Stoll
} Comm on Streets.

Which report was concurred in

Mr Carier Chairman of Comm on Streets submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

Your Committee to whom was was referred the resolution passed by the Common Council of the City of Fort-Wayne, March 23d 1869, granting 26 acres of land off of the City Park (so called) to the Fort-Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Railroad Co., beg leave to report in favor of said resolution, provided, however, that said Railroad Co., shall not build any of its Freight- or Passenger Depots west of Cass street and that that part of said resolution ordering and directing his Honor the Mayor of this city to convey the land described in the original resolution to said Fort-Wayne, Jackson & Saginaw R. R. Co., be so construed as to say and read that such conveyance to be executed by the Mayor of said city of Fort-Wayne to said Railroad Company be made without any covenant of Warranty so that the the City of Fort-Wayne be not held liable in any manner whatever for any imperfection of title on account of a lack of power and right in making said conveyance.

Resolution

Respectfully submitted
A. H. Carier
Chairman
Committee on Streets.

The question being upon concurring with that portion of the

Report relative to constructing Depots as recommended. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Trennel, Tagtmeyer Underhill and Wilson (11). In the negative Shryock & Tower (2). So said part of said report was concurred in. The question now being Shall his Honor be authorized to make the conveyance as recommended. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway. Carier Morgan & Wilson (4) Nays Dessauer, Hogan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Tagtmeyer & Underhill (9) So his Honor the Mayor was not so authorized.

The following memorial was received from Hon. Jos. K. Edgerton.

To the Honorable

The Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:-

I beg leave respectfully to submit for the consideration of the Council, and such action as may be deemed expedient, the following in relation to the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company.

On the 10th day of January last, the Board of Directors of that company, in special meeting at Pittsburgh, passed a resolution for the issue of $1,200,000 in amount of eight per cent. mortgage bonds, professedly for the purpose of procuring additional equipment for the road, in view of its prospective increase of business from the Cincinnati Richmond and Fort Wayne Railroad, and a branch road in Michigan from near the Manistee river to Traverse city — this latter road having been lately undertaken under the auspices of the Continental Improvement Company.

It is only within a few days that I have been able to obtain a copy of the resolution referred to, so as to know its full import.

The effect of this new issue of bonds, if permitted, will be to charge the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company, with a bond debt of $1,200,000 at eight per cent. interest, additional to the $5,000,000 of bonds, which with a large amount of capital stock, have already been issued to pay the Continental Improvement Company for the completion and full equipment of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad entire, as a first-class road, from Fort Wayne to Little Traverse Bay, a distance of 350 miles.

By virtue of the construction contract of May 1st 1869, the Continental Improvement Company is in possession of the Railroad and operating it for its own benefit, and it has until June 3d 1874, to complete and equip the whole road, and until that is entitled to operate it and receive the income, and as an additional compensation for construction, it is also to become the owner of the Railroad companies land grant, and of a majority of its capital stock, the land grant alone, being estimated to become worth from $10,000,000 to $12,000,000

The compensation conceded to the Continental Improvement Company for what it undertook to do by the contract of May 1st 1869 was a large one, in fact, ample enough to satisfy the most immoderate desire of profit. The obligation

to equip the road to an extent adequate to its business until June 1874 is clear, & the compensation for it was embraced in the terms of the contract, which did not include the proposed $1,200,000 of bonds. No such additional bonds were contemplated or provided for, nor has any legal occasion or necessity for them arisen. The Continental Improvement Company therefore has at this time neither right nor equity, to call on the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company to furnish additional equipment for any purpose, or to issue bonds for it; and the call for the bonds as proposed in the resolution referred to, is an extortionate and unconscionable demand.

The attempt to get these new bonds for $1,200,000 is directly injurious to the Stockholders of the Railroad Company. The road in my judgement will not bear this additional burden, and leave any hope of dividend, or value to the capital stock. The scheme is not one in the interest of the stockholders of the Railroad Company, but of other parties now controlling its operation through the Continental Improvement Co. contract. It is manifestly in derogation of that contract, and inequitable and unjust.

The scheme evidently grows out of the late attempted lease of the Ft. Wayne Richmond and Fort Wayne Railroad to the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company. The lease so called has been made & taken without authority of law. It is beyond the corporate powers of the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company, and is on its face unfair and unjust to the stockholders of that company, and I think it will not be difficult to show, that the main inducement to it has been the benefit of the parties who have in part built & owned the Richmond road and received its bonds to a large amount in payment, under their contract.

The City of Fort Wayne owes $100,000 in amount of bonds dated April 1st 1867, issued to aid the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad, and the valuable purpose they served in the protection of the land grant at the most critical period of the affairs of the company is well known. If the City pays the interest on these bonds, and the principal as they mature, it will have paid $220,000 in aid of the Railroad. The City holds in consideration of the issue of the bonds $101,500 of the capital stock of the Railroad Company. That stock is the only direct indemnity to the City for its large liability. If the stock proves valueless the entire $220,000 to be paid must be raised by direct taxation and the burden cannot be escaped. The Railroad has no track laid, nor any structures within the City subject to taxation. Its principal offices have been removed to Grand Rapids, and its principal officers are there. But four of the 13 Directors of the Company are residents of Indiana, and the Company has become substantially foreign to this City. The road is here, but few of the large incidental benefits to Fort Wayne that were justly expected when the City issued its bonds, & its citizens furnished their credit and means to aid the road, have been conceed to this City. The interest and and duty of the City to care for its Railroad stock and to protect it from destruction are therefore manifest. Fort Wayne has been liberal to Railroads. It has done for them all it could afford to do. It is entitled to justice, if not generosity in return, and the rights and interests of the City in the different roads now here, in view of its large liabilties for them, deeply concern the property holders and tax payers of the City.

As a Director and Stockholder of the Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company I have protested against the case of the Richmond road, as illegal, inequitable and unjust; and on the same grounds I have protested against the proposed issue of $1,200,000 of eight per cent. bonds.

Onerous as was the contract with the Continental Improvement Company, and enormous as was the profit conceded to it, it has nevertheless been my opinion, that if the contract was executed in good faith and equity to all concerned, the Railroad would ultimately be able to earn dividends on the $2,500,000 of its fixed capital stock, so that the stock owned by the City would in part ... at least, indemnify the City for debt incurred for the road. If the proposed increase of the bond debt of the company is allowed, I see but little hope of future value to the stock. It will be substantially destroyed, or its value heavily depressed for many years. It is therefore my purpose to defeat if I can, the creation of this new and unnecessary debt, and to protect as well

as I can, my rights, in common with those of other stockholders, and it seems to me the duty of the City authorities to do the same.

I therefore call the attention of the Council to this general statement. Much more might be said but a fuller discussion would swell a communication like the present to unreasonable limits. The City is now put upon its guard, and can co-operate with other stockholders in such legal measures as may be necessary to protect their rights and secure some indemnity to the City for its liability for the road, and respectfully ask that the City Attorney or such Counsel as the City may see fit to consult, may investigate the subject presented, and take needful action in behalf of the City. As a citizen and tax payer, and in view of the official relation which I sustained to the Rail road Company from July 1866, to August 1st 1871, I have deemed it not only my right, but my duty to make this statement to the Council.

Respectfully

Fort Wayne, Feby 14th 72. Joseph K. Edgerton.

Which memorial was refered to Committee on Finance and City Attorney.

City Treasurer reported that he had tendered to B. Schilling $80. for damages awarded him by Commissioners, in opening alley way parallel and adjoin'g the P. F. W. & C. R. R. Track in Edsalls Addition & Walls addition and that said Schilling refused to accept said sum, and Treasurer therefore asked for further instructions.

Which report was received and ordered placed on file.

Monthly statement of Treasurer for month ending Jany 31st 72, was referred to Committee on Finance.

Annual Report of Street Commissioner of the amount of labor and what kind and the cost thereof, performed by him &c.

Which report was rec'd and ordered placed on file.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and pave with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Main street from Harrison street to Edsall street was amended so as to read "and from Barr street, was read a second time now. On motion of Mr Dessauer, the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a third time now. Those voting in favor of the passage of the Ordinance as amended were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shyock, Tremmel, Tegtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays, (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. The question being, shall the Ordinance pass? - Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shyock, Tremmel, Tegtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) authorizing the construction and operating of a Street Railroad on Main street Broadway and Bluffton Road in the City of Fort Wayne was introduced and read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Bradway, the rules were suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance

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read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Cavier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion, said Ordinance was referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Bradway introduced an Ordinance (H.I.) to grade to a width of Ten feet pave to a width of Six feet with and curb with stone curbing the Side walks on both sides of Lewis Street from Calhoun street to Division Street which was read a first time now. Mr. Bradway, moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Cavier, Dessauer, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Committee on R. R. & C. introduced an Ordinance to regulate the keeping of swine within the city of Fort Wayne, which was read a first time now. On motion of Mr. Bradway to suspend the rules to have the Ordinance read a second time now the following vote was cast in the affirmative, Bradway, Cavier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none) Mr. Wilson offered an amendment to the effect where it read "75 feet from any residence &c" to make it 150 feet, which proposed amendment provoked a lenthy and spirited discission. The question was finally put to a vote, those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs Cavier Morgan & Wilson (3) Nays Bradway, Dessauer, Hogan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock Tremmel, Teghtmeyer & Underhill (9). So the amendment did not prevail.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the Sidewalks on the East side of Clay street from Holman street to P. F. W. & C R. R. was introduced and read a first time now. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Cavier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Councilman Bradway offered the following preambles and resolutions:-

Whereas, in 1867, the City passed Ordinances to build sewers on on Clinton street Calhoun street and Washington street passing along by certain churches,

And Whereas, when said sewers were being built said churches or some of them at least, directed sidedrains to be put in, which was done by the Contractors.

And Whereas, said churches have since been using said sewers but have refused to pay for the cost of said sewers and side drains and are now litigating with the city and contractors to enjoin the collection of the cost of said sewers and sidedrains. Now therefore

Resolved, That if said churches persist in refusing to pay for said sewers and side drains as assessed, it is the sense of the Common Council, that said churches be forbidden and prohibited from using said sewers and side drains

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following resolution and Preamble:-

Whereas, Bernard Schilling has declined to accept the $80.00 tendered him by the City as damages assessed to him in the opening of a certain Alley. Now Therefore

Resolved, That the Treasurer be instructed to keep said amount of money in readiness for said Schilling and that the Street Commissioner be instructed to at once proceed to remove all obstructions in the way of said alley as ordered opened by the Common Council by Ordinance duly passed.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following:-

Resolved, That the C.E. Engineer be instructed to advertise for ten days in the Fort-Wayne Daily "Sentinel" and the Tri-Weekly Staats Zeitung for proposals to grade, pave with brick and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Garden street to Division street. Said work to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications of the City Civil Engineer as heretofore provided by Ordinance.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner give 20 days notice to property holders on both sides of Hoagland Avenue from Melita Street to the Railroad to put down plank sidewalks four feet wide, and if said property holders fail to comply with said notice, said Street Commissioner is authorized to have said sidewalks constructed at cost of said property holders.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Shryock offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Police force of the Fort-Wayne be instructed to enforce the 24th Section of the Ordinance in relation to the closing of saloons on Sunday. Mr. Hogan moved to lay resolution on the table. On motion, the ayes and nays were called, those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Carie, Dessauer, Hogan, Schroeff, Stoll, Taemmel & Taglmeyer (7). Nays

Bradway, Morgan, Shryock, Underhill & Wilson (5) So the resolution was laid on the table;

Councilman Caner offered the following: Wh.
Resolved. That hereafter in making assessments against property owners for construction of public works, the C. C. Engineer be instructed to include the cost of advertising in the Estimates of the sewer.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following;
Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to construct a Plank walk across the street and the Pittsburgh Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, so as to connect and make a continuous walk on the West side of Broadway.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-
Resolved. That M. A. & E. Sowrine (Blind wood sawyers) be and are exempt from paying city taxes on Lot No. 3, & space adjoining, Barthold's Addition for the year 1871.
Which resolution was referred to City Attorney. That Functionary being present verbally stated to the Council that they had no legal right to exempt said lot & space adjoining, from taxation.

Councilman Underhill offered the following preambles and resolution:-
Whereas. The citizens residing west of Broadway and North of the P. F. W. & C. Railway, are suffering great damage and inconvenience for the want of drainage sufficient to carry off the surface water, that accumulates in that part of the city.
And Whereas, It is quite evident that a sewer could be constructed at a modern expense that would effectually drain the surface water that accumulates between Broadway and College streets and thus become a great benefit to a large part of our population. Therefore,
Resolved, That a committee to consist of the Sewer Committee, the City Civil Engineer and two Councilmen to be selected by the Mayor, be constituted, whose duty it shall be to determine on which street it would be best to construct said sewer in order to accomplish the most needed and general good. to the property holders, and after deciding on what street or streets the sewer should be built, that they shall estimate the entire probable cost of constructing such sewer together with the probable amount each property holder benefited would be assessed for the same, and report an itemized statement of their investigation to this Council at their next regular meeting.
Which resolution was adopted and Messrs Underhill & Tagtmeyer appointed as such additional Committee.

The following bills were then allowed.

[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	Fire Dept	[illegible]
W. Thompson	"	24.	[illegible] Meyers,	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible] Gradel	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible] Dagilz Jr.	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	J. Oppenheimer,	"	[illegible]
[illegible]	"	[illegible]	Fred Michael,	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible] Rivers,		[illegible]
P. Luxember,		[illegible]	Geo. [illegible]	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	P.S. Underhill, (Special Hose,) ✓	Com. Police	[illegible]
Whitehead,		[illegible]	J.B. Morgan, (" ") ✓	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]	O.E. Brideway, (") ✓	"	[illegible]
[illegible]		27.	[illegible] Bryock, (Pub. Grounds) ✓	"	[illegible]
Wm Manthey		40.	J. Schopf, " " ✓	"	[illegible]
Thos. C. Freeman,	[illegible]	[illegible]	J. Trimmel " " ✓	"	[illegible]
[illegible]	"	[illegible]	[illegible] Bros.	Police	[illegible]

No further business Council adjourned to Council in Course.

Wm. P. Randall

Read, Approved and signed in open Council, this 12th day of March 1872

Attest,

Sam'l P. Freeman,
City Clerk.

Mayor.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE.
Regular Session
March 12th A.D. 1872

Council met pursuant to adjournment present his Honor Mayor Randall in the chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stull, Shipock, Tower, Trimmel, Tagtmeier, Underhill and Wilson (15) Absent Hanna (1)

Petitions

Minutes of last meeting read approved and signed.

W. Sheridan to Precept

Petition rec'd from Wm Sheridan one of the parties to whom N. McKay assigned the contract for constructing sidewalks on Ewing street praying Council to authorize the Clerk to issue precept against Lot No. 12. Block Ewing's Addition owned by Thomas Sweeny.
Which petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

G. J. E. Mayers Reduction of Assessment

Petition received ~~received~~ from George J. E. Mayers, for reduction of assessments on Lot No. 167, and improvements thereon.
Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

Resignation of Eagle Co.

Memorial rec'd from Foreman and others of Eagle Fire Co. praying that said Company be disbanded and that they be allowed to withdraw from the Fire Department.
Which disbandment was accepted and said Eagle Co. permitted to withdraw from Fire Department.

Thos. Meegan

Petition rec'd from Thos. Meegan owner of Lot No. 192 Hannas Add. representing that in 1865 by direction of C.C. Engineer he excavated in front the sidewalk fronting said lot, when by order of Common Council he discontinued further excavation, and alleging that said Council agreed to do the excavation free of further cost to petitioner when city was prepared to do the excavation.
Which petition was refered to Com. on Streets.

From Fred Upmeyer for reduction of assessment

Petition was rec'd from Fred. Upmeyer representing that the Improvements on Lot 11 College Addn had been assessed twice - as it was assessed in Janry 1870, on Lots Nos 261 & 262 (fractional parts) and during the space of a month it was removed to said Lot 11, and afterwards assessed, and he therefore prayed that the assessments against said improvements be charged to only one lot.
Which petition was refered to Clerk, on motion of Mr. Carier, and if facts were as represented he was authorized to certify a reduction to be made to the Treasurer.

Petition rec'd from Jno B. Peters and 12 others property holders on High street praying Council to pass an Ordinance to grade and plank the side-

on said High Street on both sides from Wells street to St. Mary's Avenue.
Which prayer of petitioners was granted.

Committee on Fire Department submitted following report:
Gentlemen of the Common Council:

Your Committee on Fire Department to whom was referred the petition of various parties asking permission to form a Hook, Ladder and Bucket Company in the 8th Ward, have had the same under consideration and beg leave to report adversely thereto. If said Company is formed it will necessitate the purchase of a lot, and the erection of building and thus incur expense. This is our reason for reporting as above.

L. Dessauer, } Com. on.
J. W. Bull, } Fire Dept.

Which report was concurred in.

Memorial received from J. K. Edgerton relative to the G. R. & I. R. R. Also one from W. A. Howard in reply to Mr. Edgerton.
Which memorials was referred to Com. on Finance

Councilman Hogan offered the following, which was adopted.
Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to prepare a First Estimate in favor of Charles Streetmatter, for grading, planking sidewalks on West side of Cass street from Wells street to the track of the Fort Wayne ~~and~~ Jackson & Saginaw Railroad

In conformity with instructions C.C. Engineer submitted following First Estimate allowed C. Streetmatter, for grading and planking the Sidewalks on West side of Cass st. from Wells street to the track of the Fort Wayne, Jackson & Saginaw Railroad made at $34 50 per mille Board Measure, for the planking, and 39 cts. per cubic yard for the grading.

Owner's Names	Description	Number of Lot	Assessment for		Assessment for		Total		Additions
[illegible] Bond,	Commencing at a point on the west side of North Cass Street, bounded on the South and West by Wells Street; and North by the Fort Wayne, Jackson & Saginaw Railroad.	144	138	96	108	-	246	96	
Ft. Wayne, Jackson & Saginaw R. R.	Right of Ways,	43	41	50	32	25	73	75	

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved March 12th 1872,
Attest. Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk.

C. L. Brackenridge
Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate.

City Clerk presented an affidavit of Jno B. Bevan, contractor for grading curbing & paving with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Berry street from Calhoun street to Edsall street and praying that a precept be issued against the East 10 feet of Lot No 105 Original Plat, owned by Abraham G. Barnett, et al, heirs of James Barnett, deceased to secure the sum of $15.80

Also Affidavit of Charles Structmatter contractor for grading and planking Sidewalks on North side of Water street from Barr street to Calhoun street, and praying that a precept be issued against Lot No 8, O. P. owned by Henry Work, to secure the sum of $31.20

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue the precepts prayed for.

City Treasurer's Report No 9, for month ending January 31st 1872, was received, from which it appears that he had on hand January 1st $230,43

Collected on Duplicate	2549.21
" " Liquor Licenses	161 –
" " Markets	100
" " General Licenses	37.50
" " Sidewalks	50
	$550.71

On which he claims a credit-

By Orders redeemed	3,115.11	
" Interest on same	66.67	
" Coupons paid	410.00	3,566.78
Bal. in Treasury		$1,934.36

Which Report being certified to as correct by Committee on Finance, was received and placed on file.

Mr. Loomis President of T.W.J.& S.R.R. being in the lobby, was asked to make some explanations in regard to the manner in which said Company proposed to erect shops on the ground donated to said company by the City, Mr. Loomis spoke at some length about the proposed improvements, and the necessity of having some kind of a title from the city previous to commencing the shops. –

Mr. Tower moved that the vote given at last Council night on recommendation of Committee on Streets that the Mayor be authorized to make a conveyance to said Railroad Company, of the 20 acres of land donated to said company by resolution March 23d 1869, be reconsidered; Which motion prevailed

On motion that portion of the report of Committee on Sheets was concurred in. by the following vote ayes Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Tower, Taglmeyer & Wilson (11) Nays Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel & Underhill (4)

An Ordinance (H.I.) to Grade to a width of ten (10) feet, pave to a width of six (6) feet with brick and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Lewis street from Calhoun street to Division street was read a third time now, the question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (15) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I) to regulate the keeping of Swine with the City of Fort Wayne, was read a third time. now. On motion of Mr. Hogan said Ordinance was laid on the table.

An Ordinance, (H.I.) to grade and plank the Sidewalks on the East side of Clay street from Holman street to the P. F. W & C. R.R. was read a third time now. The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (12) Nays (none) absent from the room, temporially, Carier Goshorn & Tower (3) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance, (H.I.) to grade to a width of twelve feet, pave with brick to a width of eight feet and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Washington street from Garden street to Hanna street, was introduced by Mr. Morgan and read a first now. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays. (none). So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

For Sidewalks

Mr. Bull introduced an Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and pave with brick and set with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton street from Berry street to Lewis street, which was read a first now. Mr. Bradway moved that the rules be suspended to have the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays (none.) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

Sidewalks

Mr. Stoll introduced an Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the North side of High street from Wells street to the west line of Wefel's Addition and on the South side of said street from Wells street to St Marys Avenue in Ewing's Out-lots. Mr. Shryock moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordi-

Same continued

nance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stull, Shryock, Tremmel, Tagtmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (13) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read a second time now.

Resolution

Councilman Carier offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne be and is hereby authorized to execute a deed to the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road Company for the 20 acres of land heretofore granted by resolution to said Railroad Company. Said Deed to be made in accordance with the report of the Committee on Streets as read at the last regular meeting of this Council and subject to the conditions embodied in the original resolution of the Common Council, March 23d 69, granting said land, which resolution was adopted by the following votes- ayes, Bradway, Rice, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Tower, Tagtmeyer & Wilson (11) Nays Stull Shryock Tremmel & Underhill. (4).

Councilman Tagtmeyer offered the following resolution:-

Resolved, That Frederick Meyers Chief of Police be allowed as Chief of Police, while acting in that capacity pro tem appointment

Which resolution passed unanimously.

Mr. Wilson offered the following preamble and resolution:-

Whereas, certain persons are carrying on Slaughtering establishments in the western part of the City in violation of Sec. 2 & 3 of Chapter 17, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, and other Ordinances. Therefore,

Resolved, That the City Marshal, Street Commissioner and Police Force be instructed to enforce the Ordinance in relation to Slaughter Houses, without delay.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Underhill offered the following:-

Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owners of Lot No 638 Neamia's Addition to repair the sidewalks in front of said Lot, so as to bring the grade on the East ~~side~~ up to the brick walk adjoining

Which resolution was adopted.

Bids for Sidewalks

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by C.C. Engineer to grade to width of 12 feet, pave to a width of 8 feet, and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Main street from Harrison street to Edsall street and from Barr street to Clay street, were opened and read as follows:-

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:-

March 1?

Gentlemen: - The undersigned here by proposes to do the above mentioned work, furnish all labor and materials, according to Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

	Sutermeister Burke & Co		Jno. W. Langohr.		Jno. B. Bessler	
	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts.
For curbing per lineal foot		80		.75		.70
" " " " " Streets & Alley Crossings		85		80		—
" grading & paving, per lineal foot		90		80		89
" " " " " " " " " Alley crossings		90		86		91
" Round Corners	5	50	8	50	5	85

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to report at next Council meeting, the lowest and best bidder.

A bill of J. G. Benser & Co., for material & work on Steam Fire Engine Vigilant, amounting to $1,082,89 was on motion of Mr. Dessauer referred to a select-Committee of three, Messrs Tagtmeyer Morgan & Schopff were appointed as such Committee.

The following bills were then allowed.

B. L. F. Williard	Streets	24.00	Jno. Droegemeyer.	Gen Exp	2.10
Nelson Thompson	"	24.00	A. Hattersley	"	" 2.00
E. Renor	"	24.00	"	"	" 3.00
H. Stiers	"	14.00	Wilson. S. & Co	Fire Dept	2.3
H. Schoppman	"	12.00	G. Breimeir	"	" 30.00
Jno Bonsoi	"	6.00	Wilson. S. & Co	"	" 13.70
P. Luximberger	"	11.00	J. A. Droegemeyer	"	" 36.16
Henry Brown	"	10.00	A. Hattersley	"	2.00
J. Whitehead	"	4.00	U. S. & Co	"	" 2.3
C. Strittmatter	"	30.87	W. Freeman	Election	6.00
D. Mc. Kendry	"	7[illegible]	H. Stoll	Com Dutie	& Sewer 2.[illegible]
W Manther	"	13.[illegible]	J. S. Gosham	"	" 2.10
Wilson. S. & Co	"	7.30	T. Hogan	"	" 2.00
Sarninghausen.	Printing	133.00	J. Morgan	"	" 24.00
A. Hattersley	Police	23.70	W. Tagtmeyer	"	" 2.3
Wilson. S. & Co	"	1.20	O. E. Bradway	"	[illegible]
D. A. Robinson	"	3.00	W. Tagtmeyer	"	" [illegible]
Keil & Bro	Gen Exp	26.15	G. H. Wisson	"	" 16.10
			J. H. Bass	"	[illegible]

Read Approved and Signed in
open Council this 4th day of March 1872

Attest,
Sam'l. P. Freeman
City Clerk.

F. D. Randall
Mayor

Council met pursuant to adjournment present his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Stoll, Tower, Underhill & Wilson (16) Absent- (none)

Petition recd from Jacob Gluting and Thos Law, owners respectively of Lots 451-452-& 453. Hanna's Add'n situated on Washington street, praying for permission to put down stone sidewalk fronting said lots instead of brick

Which petition was referred to Com on Streets and C. E Engineer.

Petition recd from D. Vestel et. al. praying Council to have the crossing on Broadway, opposite Lots Numbered 67 & 72 Hanna's Addition removed, representing that said crossing dams up the water, and thereby causes an overflow of the water.

Which petition was referred to Com. on Streets.

Petition recd from Chr. Doutz & others residents on Polk street represent that their property is damaged by the occupation of said Street by the T. W. J. & S. R. R. and said property holders pray that redress be given them.

Which petition was referred to Com on Streets.

Petition recd from Trustees of Congregational Church to exempt from taxation Lot No. 12 Block 25 Ewings addition on the ground that Lot is used for Church purposes.

Which petition was granted by the following vote; ayes:- Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Shryock, Underhill & Wilson (8) Nays, Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Stoll, Tremmel, & Taglmeyer (7)

The following petition was recd from W. H. Jones, reading in these words and figures to-wit

To the Common Council of the City
of Fort Wayne, Ind.,

The undersigned respectfully referring your Honorable Body to the record of its proceedings at the several meetings, held on the 26th & 29th days of September 1866, & February 26th & March 12th & June 18th 1867 in reference to the city subscriptions for 1000 shares of the Grand Rapids Railroad, begs leave respectfully to represent that he has reason to believe, and does believe that a material portion of the $100,000

of City bonds referred to in the said proceedings, were never applied to the purposes for which they were issued, according to the true meaning and intent of the said proceedings.

Wherefore this memoralist prays that your Hon. Body will cause due investigation to be made by a committee of the Council, or a joint committee to be composed of members of the Council and of citizens, into the uses that were made of the said bonds, or their proceeds in whole or in part; and particularly to that amount of the said bonds or if the proceeds thereof was applied directly to the proposition or the work specially named in the proceedings aforesaid, and what portion of such bonds or proceeds, if any, was used for the liquidation of the old debts of the Company, and the name of the creditor or creditors to whom the same was paid; and if it shall appear that any portion of such proceeds were paid or applied to purposes not contemplated by the true meaning and intent of the proceedings aforesaid, whether it is expedient to establish legal proceedings to compel any person to make restitution or satisfaction in damage for such wrongful application, and further, that such Committee be directed to enquire and report whether the said Railroad has ever been completed to the City of Fort Wayne, according to the true meaning and intent of the proceedings aforesaid, and in compliance with the terms and conditions upon which the said bonds were executed and delivered, and if so that the said Committee report to the Council what property the said Railroad Company has in the City of Fort Wayne, liable to taxation for city purposes, with a view to the taxation of the same, for the purpose of aiding in the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, as well as the other bonded debts of the city. And your memoralist, as in duty bound, will always pray as in such case he ought to pray

(Signed) Wm. H. Jones.

Which memorial was refered to Committee on Finance and City Attorney.

Petition recd from Fletcher and Powers, proprietors of the Omnibus Line, representing that it is almost impossible for an Omnibus to pass a street car on Calhoun street, owing to the shade trees and petitioners pray that the property holders along said route trim said shade trees

Which petition was refered to Com. on Streets.

Petition recd from Sol. D. Baylers et al, praying Council to postpone the construction of sidewalks on Clinton street for the present.

Which petition was refered to Com on streets. Prior to the reference a motion was offered to lay the petition on the table, Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Stoll & Shryock (7) Nays, Bull, Hanna, Schoeff, Taglmeyer, Tremmel, Underhill & Wilson (7). There being a tie, his Honor the mayor, cast a vote in the negative. So the petition was not laid on the table.

Remonstrance recd from H. Schone et al, against curbing the

sidewalks on East Washington street with stone curbing, substituting wood therefore.

On a motion being made to lay said petition on the table Messrs Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Foshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan & Travers, voted in the affirmative (8). and Carier, Schuff, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Jagt-meyer, Underhill & Wilson (8) voting in the negative, there being a tie his Honor the Mayor voting in the negative, So the petition was not laid on the table. On motion said petition was refered to Committee on Streets.

Petition recd from Henry Meyers representing that he had been erroneously assessed. and praying for a reduction.

Which petition was referred to Committee on Finance.

City Attorney in conjunction with Committee on Finance submitted the following report:-

Gentlemen of the Council:

We have fully investigated the question of the power of the city to collect the assessments against the various churches, for sewer improvements and are convinced that under the late decision of the Supreme Court the precepts cannot be enforced. We think also that the city is liable to the contractors for the amount of the various assessments.

The Council therefore had better instruct the Clerk to pay to the Contractors the amount of the assessment to which each is entitled together with interest at six per cent. from the date of the assessments all to be paid in city orders. The amount of the assessments to be taken from the records of the city.

A. Zollars, City Atty,
Geo. H. Wilson, } Comm'n
J W Bull, } Finance

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the bill of Messrs Meyers & Sanders would beg leave to report in favor of allowing said parties the same price paid to other parties having contracted with the city for such services and that the City Clerk be instructed to settle said bill with the parties above named accordingly.

A H Carier
Henry Stoll } Committee on
Timothy Hogan } Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Your Committee to whom were referred the Bids for the grading. having and curbing of sidewalks on both sides of Main Street from Barnard Street to King Street and from Harrison Street to Edsall Street beg leave to report that they have awarded the contract to John W. Langdon he being responsible and lowest bidder.

A. H. Carier } Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report.

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the Petition of Thomas Meegan by which he is asking the City to pay for the grading of his sidewalk. beg leave to report adverse to said petition this request being contrary to rule and customs heretofore followed and if granted would establish a precedent detrimental to the true interest of the city proper – as a body

A. H. Carier } Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets Submitted the following:-

To the Mayor and Common Council:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the Ordinance for the proposed Street Rail Road on Main Street, Broadway and Bluffton Road, beg leave to report in favor of said Ordinance on the following conditions, to-wit; first, that the parties asking for the grant shall construct and have in Operation said proposed Street Railway from Calhoun Street, on Main Street to Broadway; thence to the crossing on Broadway of the P. F. W. & C. Rail Road track by the 1st day of September of this year 1872 and for the balance of said Street Railway track to the city limits until the 1st day of January 1873; Second, That the parties applying to the City for the granting of the privilege shall satisfy the City Council that they have ample means to carry out and have said Street Railway track completed and in operation within the time specified

A. H. Carier } Comm Streets.
H. Stoll, J. Hogan, }

Which report was concurred in.

Spec'l Com on Sewerage submitted the following:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:

We your Committee to whom was referred the construction of Sewer on Jackson street and Main street for surface drainage of that part of the City of Fort Wayne West of Fulton street and so much as may require drainage East of College street and North of P. Ft W & C. R. W., and South of the Wabash and Erie Canal. We therefore recommend that such improvement is necessary, and that Jackson and Main streets as recommended by the City Engineer be the location for said sewers. But recommend that the construction of the said sewer be deferred to some future time in consequence of the high price of material and labor at present.

Respectfully submitted

J Shelton
Mort B Morgan
Wm Taglmeyer
T Hogan
P S Underhill
} Committee

Which report was concurred in.

Spec'l Committee submitted following relative to Steamer Vigilant's repairs a

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council,

Gentlemen:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the Steamer Vigilant would respectfully report after due investigation that the same is all right and recommend the payment of said repairs.

Respectfully Submitted

Wm Taglmeyer
John B Morgan
John Shoaff
} Committee

Which report was concurred in and Clerk instructed to pay Messrs Bowser & Co. the amount of $1082.89 in City orders.

An Ordinance (H.L.) to grade to a width of Twelve feet, flag with brick to a width of Eight feet and curb with stone curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Washington street from Garden street to Harmer street was read a third time and. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway Bull Dessauer Goshorn

Hanna Hogan Morgan Schoff Tower & Wilson (10) Nays Carier Stoll Shryock Trimmel & Taglmeyer (5) So the Ordinance was Passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and pave with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street, was read a third time now. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Taglmeyer & Underhill (12) Nays Tower & Trimmel (2) So the Ordinance was passed,

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the North side of High Street from Wells street to the west line of Wefels Addition and on the South side of said street from Wells street to St. Marys Avenue in Ewings Out Lots, was read a third time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (13) Nays Bradway Tower & Trimmel. (3) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade to a width of ten feet and pave with brick to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Jackson Street from Main street to the P. J W. & C.R.R. was introduced and read a first time now. On motion the rules were suspended to have the Ordinance read a second time now. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trimmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and gravel Berry street from Barr street to Clinton street and to pave the gutters on both sides thereof with stone was introduced and read a first time. On a motion made to suspend the rules to have the Ordinance read a 2d time now the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative. Wilson Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trimmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (16) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion, the word Fourth street was stricken out and Lafayette street inserted.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the South side of Pritchard street from Rockhill street to Broadway

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was introduced and read a first time now. On a motion made to suspend the rules to have the Ordinance read a second time now the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays Hanna, (1) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the Sidewalks of Wood Street from Pritchard Street to the P. F.W & C. R.R. and on the West side thereof from the P. F.W & C. R.R. to Wall street, was introduced and read a first time On motion made to suspend the rules to have Ordinance read a second time the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative, Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Goshorn, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays, Shryock (1) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the Sidewalks of West Street from Pritchard Street to the P. F.W & C. R. R. was introduced and read a first time now. On motion made to suspend the rules to have Ordinance read a second time now, the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative: Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (15) Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Water Street from Harrison street to the west line of Ewing addition was introduced and read first time now. On motion made to suspend the rules and read the Ordinance a second time now the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (none). So the rules were suspended and ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the Sidewalks on both sides of Kenny Street from Hoagland Avenue to Fairfield Avenue, was introduced and read a first time now. On motion made to suspend the rules Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) voted in the affirmative. Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a 2d time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank Sidewalks on the West side of Hoagland Avenue from Butler steet to Creighton Avenue, was introduced and read a first time now. On a motion to suspend the rules to have Ordinance read a second time Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) voted in the affirmative. Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now.

An Ordinance (H.I.) was introduced by Mr. Stoll to grade and plank the Sidewalks in the West side of North Cass steet from Lot Numbered Fifty-eight (58) Northside Addition to the P.W. J. & C. R.R. & read a first time now. On a motion made to suspend the rules, the following gentlemen voted in the affirmative Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now

An Ordinance (H.I.) was introduced by Mr Bradway to open a steet Fifty (50) feet wide, from Fairfield Avenue West on the line between Lots 22 & 23 of Fairfield's Out-lots and Lots 14-15 & 2 & 3 of Wayne Township Out-lots to the Bluffton Road, and read a first time. On a motion made to suspend the rules Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (16) voted in the affirmative. Nays (none) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion to again suspend the rules Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (15) voted in the affirmative, Nays Tower (1) So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Stoll, Schopf, Shryock, Tremmel, Taglmeyer & Wilson (13) Nays Goshorn Tower & Underhill (3) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to open & extend the alley running North and South between Wells Steet and North Cass steet, from its present Southern terminus South until the same intersects Wells Steet, or Lima Plank Road, was introduced and read a first time now. On motion to suspend the rules, Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schopf, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Tremmel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson voting in the affirmative Nays (none) So the rules were

suspended and Ordinance read a second time now. On motion to again suspend the rules Messrs Bradway Bull Carier Dessauer Goshorn Hogan Hanna Morgan Schoff Stull Shryock Tower Tremmel Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (16) voted in the affirmative Nays (none) So the rules were again suspended and Ordinance read a third time now. The question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Bradway Bull Carier Dessauer Goshorn Hogan Hanna Morgan Schoff Stull Shryock Tower Tremmel Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (16) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

Councilman Dessauer offered the following:-

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and Specifications for building a Fire cistern on Wallace street at its junction with Calhoun street and that he make a contract with responsible parties for the construction of same and report to the Common Council at its next regular meeting. Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn Offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Contractor for the construction of Sidewalks on Main Street be permitted to use and be instructed to use Berea Stone instead of Athens Stone, provided, however, that the said contractor makes a deduction of 15 cents per lineal foot on the price bid on Athens Stone.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn Offered the following:-

Resolved, That Berea Stone for the curbing on Jefferson & Lewis streets be used in preference unless Stone equally as good and at the same price per lineal foot.

Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Carier Offered the following:-

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to ascertain & report at the next meeting of the Council about the propriety of securing by the best means possible for the interest of all concerned a suitable tract of land, east of the city and between the Canal and the Maumee River for Slaughter House purposes.

Which resolution was adopted, & Messrs Carier Hogan & Wilson appointed as such Committee.

Councilman Goshorn introduced the following:-

Resolved, That

the Sewer Committee be instructed to enquire into and report upon the expediency and cost of building a sewer on Clay street from the South side of the Toledo Wabash & Western Railroad to the Culvert already built under the Wabash and Erie Canal, Be it further

Resolved, That the City Civil Engineer and one member of the Council be added to the Sewer Committee on the Clay street Sewer.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wilson offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to fill up the Street at ~~both~~ ends of the Van Buren Street bridge, so that said bridge may be used by persons desiring to drive across the canal at that point.

Which resolution was adopted.

Mr Schopf offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Committee on Gas be instructed to have "Gas Posts" erected on Fairfield Avenue at the Railroad Crossings,

Which resolution was referred to Committee on Gas.

Councilman Stoll offered the following

Resolved, That the owners of Lot No 2 Gerkens Add^n be allowed to lay a brick sidewalk in front of said Lot, instead of plank

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to remove the obstructions in West Douglas street.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll introduced the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to make such ditches as may be necessary to drain away the water now standing in the Street and ditch in front of Lots Nos 187 & 1 in Northside Addition.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman offered the following:-

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be instructed to put down a crossing on the West side of Webster street, between Melita & Brandiff streets.

Which resolution was adopted

Sealed Proposals, heretofore advertised for by the C. C. Engineer to grade to a width of ten feet, pave to a width of 6 feet and curb with stone curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Lewis street, from Calhoun street to Division street were opened and read as follows:-

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby proposes to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

					C. Pape		Jno. H. Kay			
		$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts
[illegible]		7	25	6	00			7	00	6	00
Curbing Clivage	" per lin ft.		77		75		73		78		75
" " Berea,	" " "		64		65		63		62		57
" Grading & Paving	" " "		70		73		72		1 22		77
" Round Corners each (Berea)		3	25	5	00	5	50	2	50	2	50

Which bids and proposals were referred to Committee on Streets in conjunction with City Civil Engineer, with instructions to examine and compare said bids and report to the Council at its next regular meeting the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to Grade and Plank the Sidewalks on the East line of Clay street from Holman to the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, were opened and read as follows:-

To the Mayor and Common Council,
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at & for the following prices, to-wit:-

		J. W. Langohr		Theodore Tippeman		C. W. Lindlage					
		$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts	$	cts
For planking	per lineal foot		33		27		29½				
Grading	" Cubic Yard		34		29½		28½				

Which bids and Proposals were referred to Committee on Streets in conjunction with City Civil Engineer with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the Council at its next regular the name of the lowest and best bidder

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer, to grade to a width of 12 feet and Pave to a width of 8 feet and curb with stone curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Division street to Harden Street, were opened and read as follows; to wit:-

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne,
Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the C. E. the Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:-

B. L. F. Willard,	Streets	54	I. Renol-	Streets	5
[illegible]		23	H. Brown		10
A Renol-		23	P. McLain		14
H. Stiers		23	J. Whitehead		8
H Schoppman		22	W Manthey		40
[illegible] Bonfoi		25	D. McKendry		27
P. Luxumberger		14	Reid Waring & Nelson		15
[illegible] Murphey		12	P. J. Meller	Assessor	Cert. Bx 126
E. Poway		11	Jno M Koch	Deputy	174

Which bids and Proposals were referred to Committee on Streets in conjunction with City Civil Engineer, with instructions to examine and compare the same, and report to the Council, at its next regular session the name of the lowest and best bidder.

On motion, the bills were then taken up and read.

A bill of Francis & Mahan, of $25,49 for shoeing horses for Fire Department was referred to Committee on Fire Dept.

The following bills were then allowed.

L. Dessauer	Fire D.	[10d]	Com Duties	27 50	C.H. Reikers	Genl Exp	3 [illegible]
J.W. Bull	"	[illegible]	"	22 00	A. Rieling	"	5
E.T. Hanna		12		5 50	Jno H. Druggemeijer	" "	5
W. Taglmeyer (Sp'l St. Vig.)			"	2 75	C.S. Brackenridge		[illegible]
J.B. Morgan	"	"	"	2 75	West. Union Tel. Co.		24
J. Schopf	"	"	"	2 75	G. Bulary		[illegible]
W. Taglmeyer	Gas	2d	"	5 50	Chas G. [illegible]		[illegible]
J.B. Morgan	"	"	"	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
H.H. Carter				5 [illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
Stetson & Bro	C.C.E.		8 Carriage Hire	[illegible]	T. Tiggelman		[illegible]
" " "	Clerk		" 13 50	[illegible]	C.K. [illegible]		3 [illegible]
" " "	Chf Eng. Fire Dept		" 2 60	18 [illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
			J.C. Bowser & Co., Repairing		Steamer Vigilant		[illegible]

Read Approved & Signed in
Open Council this 9th day of April 1892

Attest,

Sam'l P. Freeman,
City Clerk.

L. P. Randall
Mayor

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present his Honor Mayor Randall in the Chair and a full board of Councilmen

Minutes of last regular session read approved and signed.

Pet recd from W. G. & H. G. Olds, praying for a reduction on certain lots assessed for city taxation.

Which petition was referred to Com on Finance

Petition recd from D. Ryan et al. representing that a pool of water stands on University street near its intersection with Wayne street. and petitioners prayed that Council order the abatement of said nuisance.

Which petition was referred to Comm on Streets

Petition recd from Dr. W Sihler et al, Directors of Concordia College, representing that in their opinion the removal of the Slaughter Houses, as contemplated, to the East end of the city would be detrimental to the health of the occupants of said College, and that petitioners therefore prayed that said Slaughter Houses should not be erected nearer than two miles of the City limits,

Which petition was recd and ordered placed on file.

Petition recd from Jacob Wollenger representing the Improvements on Sub 5 of Lots 77-78 old Plat are erroneously assessed and therefore petitioner prayed for a reduction on the same.

Which petition was on motion refered to Com. on Finance,

Petition recd from Geo. Lang et al residents on Wells street praying that the City Civil Engineer be instructed to give the width & grade of said street, also the sidewalks fronting the lots on said street

Which petition was on motion, granted.

The following petition was received

To the Honorable Mayor
and Common Council
of the City of Ft. Wayne.

We the undersigned Busi-

Remove Nestles Building on Broadway

ness men and property holders would respectfully represent to your honorable body that according to the survey of the City Engineer Chas Brackenridge Esq the store rooms and fence upon the property of Daniel Nestel Esq fronting on Broadway west side extend over the sidewalk of said street to such an extent that it is necessary to have them removed back to their proper positions. We therefore pray your honorable body to investigate the matter and if found as herein represented to grant our request.

Respectfully
Christian Koegel

W. Schultz
A. J. Langohr
H. Naugier
William Ropa
Adam Kuntzine
S. A. Aurentz
Joseph Nahe
Andrew Thieme
John Claass
John Seabold

Which petition was refered to Com on Streets

Petition and affidavit recd from Patrick McLain representing the SE part of Lot 33, O.P. for the year 1871 was assessed at $1,600 and that he sold said lot last summer for $1,250 and he prays that said lot may be assessed at no higher a sum than what he sold it for.

Which petition and affidavit was referred to Committee on Finance.

The following petition was received.

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

We your petitioners the undersigned property holders would respectfully represent to your Hon Body that the Bridge on Water Street over the Griffith Street Sewer is in a very dangerous condition – decayed and liable to fall at any time & we would therefore pray your Hon Body to cause the construction of a new one from the South Side Water street to the river and for which we ever pray.

Bridge over Griffith Street Sewer to be repaired

Signed. Wm Yergkens William Ranke Geo. L. Little H. G. Wigent
David Tagtmier Frederick Brandt Conrad Meyer,
Chas. McCulloch

April 9th 1877

Which Prayer of Petition was granted, and Street Commissioner instructed to have said work done forthwith.

Petition recd from L. Gercke, and 21 others residents and Property holders on Barr street praying Council to pass an Ordinance for the Construction of a Sewer of suitable dimensions to connect with the present Sewer at Wayne street.

Which Petition was referred to Committee on Sewers and City Civil Engineer.

Petition recd from Jno McDougal representing that the real Estate owned by him and known as McDougals Block was erroneously assessed, and he therefore Prayed that the assessment be reduced from $22,000 to $17,000, to make it compare with property in vicinity.

Which Petition was referred to Comm on Finance

Petition recd from Walsch & Schmelzer, and 57 others Property holders on Washington street Praying that Chicago Stone be used for curbing the sidewalks on said thoroughfare in stead of Berea stone.

Which Petition was received and placed on file.

Also a similar Petition from J. C. Brase & 44 others property holders on Jefferson street.

Which Petition was recd and ordered placed on file.

Committee (Special) on Clay street reported as follows:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council:-

We your Committee to whom was referred the Proposed construction of a sewer extending from Holman street to Wabash and Erie Canal on Clay street, as recommended by the City Civil Engineer, would recommend that an Ordinance be prepared and that the work be put under contract as early a date as possible.

Respectfully submitted
J. D. Stoshorn
J. Hogan
Jno B. Morgan
Henry Stutz
A. H. Carier
} Committee

Which report was concurred in and City Civil Engineer instructed to prepare ordinance for the same.

Committee on Streets submitted a report signed by Messrs Carier & Stoll, to whom was referred the remonstrance of property owners on Clinton street south of Berry asking that work on Sidewalks be deferred for the present reported in favor of granting the prayer of the said petition

Which report was on motion laid on the table.

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:-

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Christ Jautz & others claiming damages of the City for the use of Pearl Street by the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw R. R. the privilege having been given by the City beg leave to report that if the privilege has so being given to said R. R Co it was certainly given without guaranty against any claims for damages that might in future be claimed by property owners along either of said R. R Co in using said street for laying on their track for their own benefit. they are the parties that should be applied to for damages by the petitioners as your Committee fails to see that the City is in any way responsible for the same

D. N. Carier
T. Hogan
Henry Stoll
} Committee

Which report was concurred in

Committee on Streets submitted the following report:

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the several proposals for grading paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Clinton Street to Division Street have examined the same and find John W. Laungohr the lowest bidder and recommend the contract for the work be awarded to said Laungohr.

D. N. Carier
T. Hogan
Henry Stoll
} Committee

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets Submitted the following
To the Mayor & Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your committee to whom was refered the petition of Jacob Glutting and Thomas Law, stating that the sidewalks on Washington Street West of Calhoun are now in good condition and asking that a little time be granted to them and also the privilege of constructing said sidewalks with stone instead of Brick beg leave to report in favor of said petition the Council to fix at any future time the limit when said sidewalks shall be made

A.M. Carier
F. Hogan
Henry Stoll
} Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following.
To the Mayor & Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was refered the petitions of Messrs. Fletcher and Powers praying for the removal of obstructions caused by the low limbs of shade trees along Calhoun Street beg leave to report in favor of said petitions and that the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the proper parties to have their shade trees trimmed forthwith so as to remove said obstructions.

A.M. Carier
F. Hogan
Henry Stoll
} Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following.
To the Hon Mayor & Common Council
Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was refered the proposals for Grading, paving and Curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Lewis Street from Calhoun Street to Division Street have examined the same and find John W. Laughlin the lowest bidder and would recommend the contract for the work be awarded to said Laughlin.

Respectfully submitted.
F. Hogan
A.M. Carier
Henry Stoll
} Committee

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following:

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of Daniel Nestle beg leave to report that they have examined the premises where he complains of existing nuisances. said obstructions detrimental to himself and others Your Committee finds that the crossing complained of has already and by the petition been cut at the end joining his property as to render it of not much benefit for horses in habit of using the same heretofore during the time when the Street is muddy that by the cutting of said end of crossing the gutter is now free at that point of obstruction for water to pass but that there are other crossings which are to low to allow the water to flow across Jefferson St North and also along said gutter either to or from Pritchard Street. Your Committee recommend therefore that the Street Commissier be instructed to have said gutter fixed so as that water does not stagnate at intermediate points between the Streets above mentioned & on the West side of Broadway

re petition of Daniel Nestle

A. H. Carier
F. Morgan
Henry Stoll
} Com on Streets

Which report was concurred in.

Committee on Streets submitted the following

To the Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of property owners on East Washington Street asking for wood curbing instead of Stone beg leave to report in favor of granting said petition on account that the gutters are generally low but provided that said property owners be compelled to fix gutters by cobbling the same with regular round cobble stones and that the Job for cobbling the same be let by contract.

A. H. Carier
F. Morgan
} Com on Streets

On motion of Mr. Morgan said report was laid on table

Committee on Streets submitted the following

To the Hon Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the proposals for grading and planking the sidewalks on both sides of Clay Street from Holman Street to the P. Ft.W. & C.R.R. have examined the same and find Theodore Figgeman the lowest bidder and recommend the contract for the work be awarded to said Figgeman.

Respectfully Submitted

A.H. Barrier
F. Keegan } Committee
Henry Stoll

Which report was concurred in

Special Committee on Slaughter Houses submitted the following

To the Hon the Mayor and
Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

The undersigned Select Committee to whom was referred the preamble and Resolution in regard to selecting suitable grounds upon whitch to locate the Slaughter Houses would respectfully report.

That they have examined a tract of land containing about four acres belonging to Mrs. E. Cooper lying about one half Mile East of the City limits which tract can be eighter leased for ten Years or purchased. Your Committee are of the opinion that said tract of land is most Eligibely situated for the purpose of erecting therein Slaughter Houses. It lies between the canal and Maumee River sufficiently distant from any road and far enough from the City to prevent any unpleasant odors from annoying the inhabitants of the City or County no where within a reasonable distance beyond the City limits can a more retired spot be found.

A Road from the New Haven Gravel road north seventy or Eighty rods and a Swing Bridge across the canal will render the grounds very easy of acces and if the Slaughter Houses were located on said Premises they would not need to be disturbed for the next twenty Years.

They would therefore recommend that this committee have further time to confer with the Butchers and if they will consent to locate on said Premises that the City purchase the same Construct a Swing Bridge across the canal and open a Road to said Grounds and rent the same on fair terms to the

Butchers and thereby end a great nuisance and annoyance to many of our citizens.

Respectfully Submitted
R. H. Carver
F. Hogan } Com
Geo. H. Wilson

Which report was recd and placed on file and further time granted

City Clerk presented an affidavit of Jno. W. Saugohr contractor for Grading & paving with brick & curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Jackson to Union and praying that precepts be issued against
Lot No. 107 Rockhill Add. to secure the sum of $29.50
Said lot being owned by Rhoda & A. M. Webb

Also affidavits of Jno W. Saughr. contractor for Grading & paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Fulton Street to Broadway and praying that precepts be issued against
Lot No. Westpart frl 93 Rockhill add to secure the sum of $ 5.90
" " " " " 8 Blk 24 Ewing " " " " " " 16.77
" " 94 Rockhill " " " " " " 64.50
Said lots owned by Jno Brown

Also an Affidavit of Jno. W. Saugohr contractor for Grading & paving with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne street from Union to Rockhill & and praying precepts be issued against
Lot No 111 Rockhill owned by Prautue & Chas. B Wordsworth to secure the sum of $64.50

Also an Affidavit of Charles Struthwalter contractor for Grading & planking Sidewalks on West side of Cass Street from Wells Street to the tracks of the Fort Wayne Jackson & Saginaw Rail Road & and praying that precepts be issued against.
all that parcel of land lying on the West side of Cass Street bounded on South & West by Wells Street and North by the Fort Wayne Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road & owned by Fleming Bond & Jones to secure the sum of $246 76

Which affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue precepts prayed for

City Civil Engineer submitted the following
To the Hon Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen.

As Instructed I have prepared specifications for the Construction of a fire cistern on the Cor of Calhoun and Wallace Street and I herewith present them for your approval.

The most favorable proposition for the Construction of the Cistern has been made by John Beeson who will do the work for $315.00 Complete the City to furnish iron girders If no objections are made the acceptance of proposal.

Respectfully
E L Brackenridge
C.E.

Specifications

For Fire cistern on Wallace Street 16 feet wide & 14 feet deep

Excavation

The earth to be excavated to a depth of 18 feet 6 inches if in clay or 19 feet 6 inches if the bottom is sandy or gravelly material the width to be 17 feet 4 inches in diameter. The excavation to be made so that the masonary will lag solid against the bottom and sides If any through accidental or just pockets should be formed or the excavation not circular said places must be piled in with brickbats and cement. where the material is sandy or gravelly one foot of clay must be piled in the bottom and well puddled before the masonary is laid. The excavated earth as well all rubish must be removed by the contractor at his own expense to any place designated by the City Civil Engineer the distance not to exceed one half mile If the contractor wishes to use the excavated earth he may do so at a deduction of 10 ten cents per Cubic yard on his contract price. The contractor to fill the top of the cistern level with Street earth well pudled clay.

Masonary

The bottom and sidewall of cistern to be built in two layers or rings of good well burnt brick laid in Louisville cement same quality as is ordinarly used for sewers in this city. The bricks to be laid as headers or benders or after as the City Civil Engineer may direct Buttress walls to be built as shown on plan. The bricks to break joint and no joint more than one quarter inch thick.
The space between the two layers or rings not to exceed half an inch so that the thickness of the wall will be eight inches.
The outside of the cistern to be grouted with cement as the

bricks are laid. When finished the cistern is to receive 2 coats of cement on the inside each ¼ inch thick after the girders to carry the wooden cover are put on the Contractor is fill up the space between same to a level with masonary

Timber work

on top of the iron girders at a right angel to same are to be laid 4"×4" stringers well tarred at a distance of 2 feet from Centre to Centre. On top of Stringers at a right angle with same will be laid one layer of 2 inch plank well tarred, and shingles to the stringers with 40 penny nails over this layer a coat of tar must be applied before laying of a covering of one inch plank at right angels with the former layer this last layer also to be shingled down and tarred. If the contractor can not obtain stringers of the required length they must be spliced, and bolted together with the joints rests on a girder The lumber to be sound white oak and dimensions according to attached bill of lumber.

General Specifications

The iron girders and ring with cover will be supplied by the City but must be laid and framed by the Contractor who shall furnish all other material & Labor All the work to be executed according to the plans which is hereby made a part of these specifications.

The Contractor must effectually protect persons and property from damages during his work as the the city will not be responsible for any accident Arising out of said work.

All the work to be executed in a workmanlike manner under the supervision and according to the orders of the City Civil Engineer. When the contractor declares the cistern finished, the same will be filled by the Fire Department and its ability to hold water tested. If found in unsatisfactory condition two weeks from date of Filling the contractor will receive his money on Estimate allowed by the Council. The Contractor must then however give security to the amount of his Estimate for the soundness of said cistern for a term of Sive months.

If the cistern at the end of two weeks is found to leak the contractor shall have forfeited all his claims against the city for work and material.

Which Specifications were approved and it was ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submits the following Contract and Bond of Jno. W. Langohr for Grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Main St. from Harrison to Edsall and from Barr to Clay

Contract

This Agreement Made and entered into this Ninth day of April 1872 by and between John W Langohr of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenant and agree to grade to a width of twelve (12) feet pave to a width of Eight (8) feet with brick and Curb with Stone the sidewalks on both sides of Main Street from Harrison Street to Edsall Street and from Barr Street to Clay Street at and for the following prices to wit:

For curbing per lineal foot Berea Stone Sixty Cents
" " " " " " " Crowings Sixty five "
" Grading & paving per lineal foot Eighty "
" " " " " " " Crossings Eighty Six "
" Round Corners each Berea Stone Five and $^{50}/_{100}$ Dlrs

Proposal

To Grade to a width of 12 feet Pave to a width of 8 feet and Curb with Stone curbing the Sidewalks on both Sides of Main Street from Harrison Street to Edsall Street and from Barr Street to Clay Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen- The undersigned hereby propose to do the abovee named work furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:

For curbing per lineal foot-	,75
" crossings & alleys	,80
" Grading & paving per lineal foot	85
" crossings & alleys	86
" Round Corners each	8,50

Jno W Langohr contractor

Fort Wayne Ind March 12 1872

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Brick 9/12.

Gentlemen- If awarded to Jno. W. Langrin the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to Specifications.

And We Further Agree. That if the said Jno. W. Langrin shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeable to such bid then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred Dollars and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said John W. Langrin having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid.

Nicol Jahn
George Geiler

Specifications

For Grading, paving with brick and Curbing with Stone the sidewalks on both sides of Main Street from Hanna Street to Edsall Street and from Barr Street to City Limit

Grading

The sidewalks will be graded to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and all material of a proper kind, taken from excavations may be used in filling the space between the brick and stone curbings, which must be evenly filled to grade.

In excavating for the said foundation, care must be taken not to injure or destroy any shade-trees within the opinion of the Engineer it becomes necessary.

Ballast

The ballast or bed on which the brick are laid, to be eight (8) inches deep and Composed of clean Coarse river sand or gravel packed solid with a roller and leveled to grade with a scraper.

Paving

The pavement to be 8 feet wide, composed of good sound hard-burned brick of uniform size and temper, free from lime or other defects to be laid true and even to the line and level given, and to break joints throughout. Both sides to be curbed with brick set on end, the top one inch below the pavement.

The above work will be estimated by the lineal foot and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, material, excavation and filling for the entire 12 feet.

As soon as the pavement is laid and inspected, it will be rolled and covered with a coating of clean fine sand one-fourth of an inch deep, which must be thoroughly brushed into the joints with a stiff broom.

Curving

The walks will be curbed with good sound Athens (Ill) limestone or if the Common Council so order with the best quality of Berea (Ohio) stone free from cracks, seams or other defects to be 4 inches thick, 8 inches deep; the top to be dressed with a bevel of 1½ an inch. To be firmly set with close square joints, on a solid foundation, true to the lines and levels given by the Engineer.

When set to be backed up on the outside with good material to within 6 inches of the top. The backing to be sloped toward the gutter at the ratio of 1½ to 1 and solidly packed, to prevent the stone from settling out of line. Said work to be estimated by the lineal foot complete.

As fast as curbing is finished the Contractor will remove all rubbish and material deposited by him on the street and replace all plank crossings and culverts in as good condition as they were before being disturbed.

The payment for said work must be collected by the Contractor at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering thereon except for the crossings of streets and alleys which will be paid for by the City in corporation orders bearing six per cent interest.

The work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer who shall have full power to reject and labor or material and cause the work to be rebuilt at the expense of the Contractor if it has been done contrary to these specifications.

Wherever sidewalks have heretofore been constructed of brick or stone which the Engineer may deem sufficient or, in case the owner of any property bordering on said street shall give satisfactory evidence of an intention forthwith to pave the walk with stone flagging such walk will be exempt from these specifications so far as relates to the brick pavement.

The Contractor must guard the public from injury by reason of the construction of said work and defend at his own expense all actions for damages which may be brought against him or the City on account of any neglect of the necessary precautions.

Section 2111 Chapter eight (8) of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne is incorporated into and made a part of these specifications.

The work to be commenced and carried on at such time and in such place as the Engineer may direct and completed

to his entire satisfaction and approval on or before 1st day of September 1872

Bond

Know all Men by these presents, That we John. W. Saughor. Nicol Jahn and George Geller of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John. W. Saughor shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this first day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year [illegible]

John. W. Saughor [illegible]
Nicol Jahn [illegible]
Georg Geller [illegible]

Which Contract. Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file

Chief of Police submitted a report showing that there were 63 lamps out during the month of March
Which report was refered to Com on Gas

City Civil Engineer submitted the following.
To the Hon Mayor & Common Council
Gentlemen.

If it is the intention of Your Hon Body to permit the property owners to make any choice of Curbing on the several Walks to be improved this Season I would respectfully suggest that the following order be made. Viz That whenever on the line of any sidewalk ordered improved with Stone curbing any property owner may desire to have laid a different quality of Stone than is provided for in the contract for the work said property owner shall be required

to notify the City Civil Engineer of such intention within 10 days of the approval of the Contract.

C.S. Brackenridge
C.E.

Which report was concurred in & Clerk instructed to publish said notice in

City Civil Engineer submitted the following final Estimate in favor of John. W. Laughlin for Graveling Berry Street Crossings

Cass Street	Graveling	$88.11		
	Grading	9.90		
	Sav. Gutters	20.16		
	" "	8.28		$126.45
Ewing "	Graveling	233.09		
	Sav Gutters	6.80		
	Extras	5.00		244.89
Fulton "	Graveling	222.41		
	Sav Gutters	10.80		233.21
		Total		$604.55

I certify the above correct
C.S. Brackenridge. City Civil Engineer

Which Estimate was allowed and Clerk instructed to pay Contractor

St. Commissioner submitted the following

	For	feet	Par Brick	Total	
Williams Boerger	223	60	Sav Brick 70	$42	add Hanna

To the Hon Mayor & Council

Gents. I have in compliance with your order caused the Laying and Grading of a brick sidewalk as per description above mentioned

B.S.S. Williard
St. Commissioner.

I certify the above work done according to grade.
C.S. Brackenridge
C.C.E.

Which report was received and ordered placed on file

3d Reading

An Ordinance (N.I.) to grade to a width of ten feet and pave with brick to a width of five feet, the sidewalks on both sides of Jackson street from Main Street to the P.F.W & C. R.R. was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway Bull Carter Devenney Goshorn Hogan Hanna Morgan.

2d Reading of Ordinance

Schoff Stoll Shryock Tower Trennel Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (6) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I) to grade and gravel Berry street from Barr street to Lafayette street and from Barr to Clinton street; also to curb and pave the gutters on both sides of said Berry street, between said points, was read a third time. The question being Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Broadway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (6) Nays (none). So the Ordinance was passed.

to grade & gravel Berry

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on the South side of Pritchard street from Rockhill street to Broadway was read a third time. The Question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Taglmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (6) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

grade & plk sidewalks on Pritchard

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Wood street from Pritchard street to the P. F. W. & C. R. R. and on the West side of said street from the P. F. W. & C. R. R. to Wall street, was read a third time. The Question being, Shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway Bull Carier Dessauer Goshorn Hogan Hanna Morgan Schoff Stoll Shryock Tower Trennel Taglmeyer Underhill & Wilson (6) Nays (none) So the Ordinance was passed.

on Wood St

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of West street from Pritchard street to the P. F. W. & C. R.R. was read a third time. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hanna, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Tower, Trennel, Taglmeyer & Underhill (5) Nays (none) Not voting Wilson (1) So the Ordinance was passed.

W. side West street

An Ordinance to grade and plank the sidewalks on both sides of Water street from Harrison street to the West line of Evings Addition was read a third time. The Question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Tower, Trennel, Taglmeyer, Underhill, & Wilson (5) Nays Shryock (1) So the Ordinance was passed.

Water street

An Ordinance (H.I) to Grade and plank sidewalks on both sides of Kenny Street from Youngland Avenue to Fairfield Avenue. was read a third time. The Question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Buell, Cavier, Dessauer, Graham, Hogan, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shaynock, Tower, Trammel, Teghtmeyer, Underhill & Wilson, (16) Nays (none). So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I) to grade and plank sidewalks on West side of Hoagland Avenue from Butler Street to Creighton Avenue. was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were. Messrs. Bradway. Buell. Cavier. Dessauer. Hanna. Hogan. Morgan. Schoepf. Stoll. Trammel. Teghtmeyer. Underhill & Wilson. (13) Nays (none) not voting Goshorn. Shaynock. & Tower. (3) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H.I) to grade and plank the sidewalk on the west side of North Cass Street from Lot No. 58 in North Side addition to the City of Fort Wayne, South the track of the Fort Wayne, Jackson and Saginaw Rail Road Company. was read a third time. The Question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway. Buell. Cavier. Dessauer. Hanna. Hogan. Morgan. Schoepf. Stoll. Tower. Trammel Teghtmeyer & Wilson (13) Nays (none) not voting. Goshorn. Shaynock. & Underhill (3) So the Ordinance was passed.

An Ordinance (H I) authorizing the construction and operating of a Street Railroad on Main Street, Broadway and Bluffton Road in the City of Fort Wayne. was read a third time. The question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were: Messrs. Hogan. Morgan. Tower. Underhill & Wilson (6) Nays Bradway. Buell. Cavier. Dessauer. Hanna. Schoepf. Stoll. Trammel. & Teghtmeyer (7) Not voting. Goshorn. Shaynock (2). So the Ordinance was not passed.

An Ordinance (H.I.) to grade to a width of 12 feet and pave with brick to a width of 8 feet and curb with stone the sidewalks on Wayne street from Calhoun street to Hanna street, was introduced by Mr. Bull and read a first time. On motion of the same gentleman the rules were suspended for the purpose of hearing the ordinance read a second time. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Cavier, Dessauer, Hanna,

Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Trennel, Taghlmeyer, Underhill & Wilson (14) Nays None. The Rules were suspended and Ordiance read a second time.

S. W. on Calhoun to R. R

An Ordinance to grade and Gave with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Calhoun street from Lewis street to the P. J. W & C. R. R. was introduced by Mr. Bull and read a first time. Mr. Morgan moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of having the Ordiance read a second time. Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Carey, Dressman, Hanna, Hogan, Morgan, Schoff, Stoll, Shryock, Town, Trennel, Taghlmeyer, Underhill and Wilson (15) Nays none. So the rules were suspended and Ordinance read a second time. Mr. Underhill moved that the said Ordinance be referred to Committee on Streets, which motion did not pre[vail]

Resolution

Councilman Taghlmeyer offered the following.
Resolved, that the Street commissioner be instructed forthwith to notify the owner of property bordering on the sidewalks on Calhoun Street from Berry St to Lewis to repair said sidewalks within 30 days and in default thereof said Street Commissioner will proceed to make said repairs and report cost of same to the Common Council.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Schoepf offered the following
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to construct street crossings on [illegible] Butler Streets
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following
Resolved that the owners of lots 9 & 10 & 11 & 12 on the South side of High Street be allowed to lay down brick sidewalks instead of plank.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stoll offered the following.
Resolved that the Street Commissioner be instructed to bring to the proper grade and plank with two inch plank the sidewalk on the South side of First in front of the property owned by the [illegible] and to [illegible] Railroad Company and to [illegible] passenger depot of said company now [illegible]
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following.
Resolved That the City Comptroller be instructed to refund to [illegible] that an erroneous assessment has been made.
South half of Lot No. 41 Foundry Addition belonging to J. Fox as relative to improvements no improvements was made on said Lot
[illegible] was adopted.

Councilman [illegible] offered the following.
Resolved. That the chairs now at the West End Market House be transferred to the Police Station as the said chairs are now unused.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following.
Resolved. That the City Clerk be instructed to request the Fort Wayne Gas Co. to Light up the lamps erected some time since [illegible] around the Public Square the same as other public lamps are lighted.
[illegible] was adopted.

Councilman Carier offered the following.
Resolved. That Hoyt Pol. be "Superintendent" is hereby authorized to erect a lamp post in front of his Building on Columbia Street he bearing [illegible] and pay the same by [illegible]
[illegible] was adopted.

Councilman Morgan offered the following
Resolved. That the Committee on Fire Dept. in connection with City Engineer be and they are hereby instructed to have Fire Cistern constructed at Intersection of Jefferson St and Griffith.
Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Goshorn offered the following.
Resolved. That the stone curbing in the construction of sidewalks on Clinton and Washington Streets be of the quality of stone known as the Berea stone. & property holders to designate quality of stone desired by them.
Which resolution was adopted

Councilman Bradway offered the following.
Resolved. That the Hon. T. P. Randall Mayor &c be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to vote the Stock of the City of Fort Wayne in the Cincinnati Richmond and Fort-

Morgan Wood Stock in T.W.C. & R.R.R.

Wayne Railroad Company [illegible] Stock holders of said Company until otherwise ordered by the Common Council of said City.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Stier offered the following.

City to build fence around Park

Whereas. On the 30th day of May 1861 Matthias Mettler & wife Catherine conveyed by deed to the City of Fort Wayne a tract of land described as follows to wit:- Beginning at the East line of Lot No. 8 in the Wells Shenution on the South line of M. Mettlers land at a stone; thence North four (4) deg (30) Min west along the E. line of said lot 87 ft. thence North 75 deg west 496 98/100 feet to an Elm tree thence North 18 deg west 117 5/100 ft to the N. West cor of said Mettlers land; thence South 4 deg & 30 min East along the west line of said Mettlers land 369 60/100 ft to a stake; thence East along the South line of said Mettlers land 493 68/100 ft to the place of beginning containing 2 7/100 acres more or less, upon the Milton conditions embodied in said deed that said city is to Keep and build [illegible] fence and not to obstruct or dam the creek on the [illegible] as shown by the deed now on file in the office of the Clerk of said City Now Therefore

Resolved. That the Committee on Public Grounds be and are hereby instructed to have a suitable fence constructed forthwith adjoining said described tract of land & thus carry out the true intent & meaning of the said deed.

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Wilson offered the following.

Resolved. That the Treasurer of the city of Fort Wayne be & is hereby instructed to collect the sum of $42 00 from the owner of lot 223 Hamma's Addition for construction of sidewalk as per bill returned by Street Commissioner.

Owner Lot 223 Hamma's Add

Which resolution was adopted.

Councilman Tremmel offered the following.

Owners of Lots 50-49 48-47-46-45 44-43-42-41 40-39 Bass Hamma's Add

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner give the owners of lots Nos 50. 49. 48. 47. 46. 45. 44. 43. 42. 41. 40 & 39 Bass Hamma's Add'n 20 days notice to bring the sidewalks fronting their respective lots to a proper grade and build plank sidewalks 4 feet wide fronting said lots on the East side of Clay Street. And on failure of said owners to comply with said notice in said specified time the Street Commissioner will cause the said sidewalks to be built at the cost of the [illegible]

Which resolution was adopted

Sealed Proposals were received for by the C. E. Engineer to grade & plank the sidewalks on the North side of High Street from Wells Street to the west line of Wells Addition and on the south side from Wells Street to St. Mary's Avenue, were opened and read in these words & figures to wit:

To the Mayor & Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen.

The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnishing labor and materials, according to the Specification and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit!

Langhor C. W. Lindley Wm Pape C. Schafer Sheetmetalker

For grading per cubic yard	.34	29	28	29	29
" Planking per lineal foot	33	28	25¾	26	28½

Which proposals were referred to Committee on Streets and City Civil Engineer with instructions to examine & compare same and report to the Council at the next regular session the name of the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by C. E. Engineer to grade and curb the sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Garden Street to Harmer Street.

Langohr Kruder & Co C. W. Lindley & Co C. Pape Skeller & Co

Curbing Berea Stone per lin foot	55	69	55	65	65
" Chicago " " " "	73	74	73	75	75
Grading & Paving	79	83	79	82	82
Round Corners Chicago	6		6.50	6	6.50
" " Berea	2.50	3.50	2.50	4.50	4.50

Which proposals were referred to Committee on Streets and City Civil Engineer with instructions to examine & compare same and report to the Council at the next regular session the name of the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by C. E. Engineer to grade pave and curb the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street were opened and read as follows

Proposals for Sidewalks &c Estimates

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen.

The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work & furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and will do the same for the following prices to wit:

For grading & paving per lin foot	79¾				
" Curbing Bevealine per lineal foot					
" " Chicago " " "	75				
" Round corners each 12 feet					
" " "					

Which Proposals were referred to Committee on Streets and City Civil Engineer with instructions to examine the same and report to the Council at the next regular session the name of the lowest and best bidders.

The following bills were then read.

B. E. P. Williard	Streets	54.	Wm Maulsby Streets	1 11.
Nels Thompson	"	24.	Dan McKenzie "	2 5
Emil Reuot	"	23.	Jno Brown "	23 40
Henry Stiers	"	24	Jno Carroll "	42.
H. Schopman	"	22	Fred. Fiddler "	12.
John. Lynch	"	5	Francis Baker " "	25 45
Patrick Burns	"	12.	J. Ryan " "	1 75
Thos Wagner	"	21	Wm Lennie " "	1 00
John Bonfoi	"	17	Chas Comparet "	2.
Patrick Fonay	"	24	Jake Oppenheimer " "	2.
James Murphy	"	24	Barney Fiss " "	2.
P. Luxinberger	"	24	Henry Bohne "	2.
M. Devaney	"	32	Geo Centlivre "	2.
G. Hanes	"	20	Jno Ryan " "	10 10
Henry Brown	"	50	Jno Wm Droegemueller " "	5.
J. Whitehead	"	48	" " " Labor	1 00
Patrick McLean	"	40	Dunn & Hamilton Paving	88 50
C. Shaffer	"	16	McMillen Chandler "	1 00
H. Weibke	"	12		

T. P. Randall
Mayor

City of Fort Wayne
Regular Session
April 23d 1872

Council met pursuant to adjournment, present his Honor Mayor Randall in the chair and Councilmen Bradway, Bull, Carier, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hogan, Hamm, Morgan, Schroff, Stull, Shyock, Tower, Trennel, Taghtmeyer Underhill and Wilson (16) Absent (none)

Proceedings of last regular session read approved and signed.

Petitions

The following memorial was recd.

To his Honor, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Withdrawal of Vigilant Fire Co

We the officers and members of Vigilant Steam Fire Engine & Hose Company No 2. hereby tender our withdrawal and disbandment as a company from the Fort Wayne Fire Department. Thanking your Honorable Body and citizens for favors bestowed and good will evinced and offering our heartfelt wishes for the success of the Department we remain, Gentlemen, your humble servants,

T. J. Rodabaugh
Foreman

Jno B Morgan.
Secretary.

Which petition was received and placed on file, and withdrawal accepted.

The following petition was rec'd.

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

Reorganization of Vigilants

We the undersigned old members of the Vigilant Fire Company now disbanded still wishing to remain in the Department and having again reorganized do petition your Honorable Body to accept us as a Company to run said Steam Fire Engine and Hose Carriage.

Robert Cran,	Foreman,	Paul Schrader	James P. Bolger.
James Keegan,	1st Asst	M. Nelson	Joseph Cary,
James Beard,	2d "	Geo. Swain,	Justen Lehr,
Hugh Hogan	Secty	Jno. Schrader,	Michael Welch,
Frank Weber,	Treas.	Edward Slocum,	Gust. Heyer,
Henry Gerkin,		Wm Meyers,	Henry Hilbrecht,

Gus Baals Chas. Lacroix,

On motion to refer said petition to Com on Fire Dept.

Petitions

and Chief Engineer with power to accept said company in the Department (Messrs. Bull, Dessauer, Boshorn, Hogan, Schoff, Steel, Shryock, Tower & Trennel /9/ while Messrs Bradway Curier Hanna Morgan Underhill & Wilson voted in the negative.

of Chas. Borneman to have certain lots trimmed

Petition recd from Charles Borneman owner of Lot No 13 Spencer's Addn representing that said Lot adjoining Lot have no drains, and that all waste water passes over and on petitioners lot and the water and filth accumulating therein endanger the health of petitioner and family; also the water washes away petitioners sidewalk, Petitioner therefore prays that Council may take some speedy action to abate said alleged nuisance.

Which Petition was referred to Comm. on Streets.

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The following Petition was recd reading in these words and figures to-wit:—

Gentlemen:—

Your Petitioner most respectfully represents that he was originally the owner of all the Lots in Wolkie's Sub-Division of Lots 485-486-487 & 488 in Hanna's First Addition to the City of Fort Wayne.

Since the sub-division has been made he has sold all of the lots in said Sub-division except (four) Since the sale, each and all of the parties to whom I sold have been anxious to purchase of me twenty feet, one in the rear of lots fronting on Calhoun streets and we have agreed upon the price and terms of sale. The only thing that now stand in the way of a consumation of the sale is an alley in the rear of said lots running from Wayne Street South to the alley running East and west between Wayne and Washington streets.

The Lot lying immediately West of the alley in rear of the Lots on Calhoun Street is Number 8 of Wolkie's Sub-Division and still belongs to myself. The prayer of my petition is that the Common Council will vacate said alley and authorize me to lay off and open an alley of the same width on the West side of Lot 8, as aforesaid. This Lot lays North & South with front on Wayne street. The change of alley can in no possible event effect any one injuriously. Indeed if it in[illegible] affect any one it will be the property owner immediately west of said Lot 8 and must be to his advantage as it will make an opening to the rear of his lot.

signed Lewis Wolke.

On motion to refer said Petition to Comm. on Streets, the

following gentlemen voted in the affirmative Messrs Hogan Schoff Shryock & Tower. 11 Nays Bradway, Bull, Lauer, Dessauer, Goshorn, Hanna, Morgan, Tremmel, Underhill & Wilson (9). Mr motion the prayer of petition was granted.

Resignation of Wm Borgman

Resignation of Wm Borgman as Policeman to take effect April 14th 72. was recd.

Which resignation was accepted.

Petition recd from Harvey Evans Letitia Hamilton S. Friburger & Leo Friburger praying that an 18 inch brick sewer of sufficient depth be constructed in alley between Berry and Wayne and East of Ewing street.

Which petition was referred to Com on Sewers with instructions to report and Ordinance for said proposed sewer if deemed necessary.

Com. on Finance to whom was referred petition of Elizabeth Malone for reduction of assessment on Lot 23 Ayres Add. reported adversely thereto.

Which Report was concurred in.

Com on Petition of G.L. Stevens

Com on Finance to whom was referred petition of G.L. Stevens Owner of Lot 116 Hanna's Addn praying for reduction on assessment reported in favor of making a reduction of $1000, on said assessment.

Which report was concurred in.

Com on petition of Conrad Fahlsing

Com on Finance also reported in favor of a reduction of $75 each on lots 96-97-98-99-100-101 & 102 Rockhills 2d addition owned by Conrad Fahlsing.

Which report was concurred in

Com on Streets on proposals for W. Main St.

Com on Streets submitted the following.

To the Mayor & Common Council

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the proposals for grading, paving and curbing Clinton Street from Berry to Lewis have examined the same and find John. W. Laughlin the lowest and best bidder and recommend the contract be awarded to said Laughlin.

P.M. Lavier Chairman } Com.

Which report was concurred in.

Com. on Streets submitted the following.

To the Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petition for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on High Street from Washington Street to Cardinal Row examined the same and find Messrs Findlay Manning and Fenno to be the lowest bidders and recommend the Contract for the work be awarded to said parties.

All Which report was concurred in.

Com. on Streets submitted the following.

To the Mayor & Common Council.

Gentlemen.

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petitions for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Noble to Cardinal Row examined the same and find Messrs Findlay Manning and Fenno to be the lowest bidders and recommend the Contract for the work be awarded to said firm

Respectfully

All Barrier

Chairman Com.

Which report was concurred in.

Com. on Sewers submitted the following.

To the Honorable Mayor & Common Council City of Ft Wayne.

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of John Hall and others praying for an extension of Brick Sewer South to their lots beg leave to report as follows.

That the petitioners be granted and that the City be instructed to prepare an ordinance and also recommend the passage of such for the construction of said sewer and that the work be put under contract at as early a date as possible.

Respectfully Submitted

[illegible]

[illegible] Com.

Which report was concurred in.

Com. on Public Grounds submitted the following

Com. on Public Grounds to contract for fence around City Park.

Gentlemen of the Council.

Your Committee to whom was referred the Contracting for the building of a fence between the Cemetery & the City park grounds would Report that we have given the contract to Peter Baker at the rate of $1.60 per panel of 10 feet in length in City order supposed to be 46 panels.

Sam'l Shryock
Conrad Temmel
Jno Schoepf
} Com.

Which report was Concurred in.

Special Com. on Slaughter Houses

Special Committee on Slaughter Houses submitted the following

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Your Committee on Slaughter-Houses beg leave to report that they have further examined the matter carefully that they also have consulted with several of the Butchers and that they find that no place or places suitable for the purpose of butchering without causing another nuisance similar to the one presently existing to the detriment of the people of the City and vicinity can be got or found except the one referred to in our last report.

Your Committee is therefore of opinion that prompt and immediate action be had at once in the premises and would recommend that Mrs. Esther Worker & her four sons rent of land she owns East of the City between the canal and the Maumee River which will be accessible by getting a right of way through the land laying between the canal and the New Haven gravel road and building a bridge across the canal From assurance given to your Committee all the Butchers except three or four are satisfied of the location and are willing to pay the City Treasury so much per year for the use of the ground and slaughter stalls or pay so much per each head of cattle or other animals that may slaughter on said premises as the City Council may direct.

P. H. Garrier
Geo. H. Wilson
} Special Com.

Those voting in not concurring in the report were Messrs Bradway, Goshorn, Hanna, Morgan, Schoepf, Stoll, Shryock, and Tower (8) Those voting in favor of concurring the report were Messrs. Bull, Garrier, Dessauer, Hogan, Temmel, Underhill, and Wilson (6) So the report was not concurred in. On motion the vote was reconsidered Those voting in the affirmative were. Messrs. Bradway

Burt, Curtis, Rosenau, Hamilton, Hayes, Hoffman, Schoaff, Sloan, Tennant, Coughlin and Wilson 11, Nays Schnepel, and Young (2). So the rule was suspended. On motion the report was concurred in.

Contract & Bond for sidewalks on Harmer

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of C.W. Lintlag et al for Grading, paving with brick and curbing with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Harden Street to Harmer Street.

Contract

This Agreement. Made and entered into this Twenty third day of April 1892 between Christian W. Lintlag William Kennie and Frederick Kennie of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenant and agree to grade to a width of twelve feet, pave with brick to a width of eight feet and curb with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Harden Street to Harmer Street as and for the following prices to wit:

For the Grading and paving per lineal foot Seventy cents
For the "Curbing" "Chicago Stone" per lineal foot Seventy five cents
For the Curbing "Berea Stone" per lineal foot Fifty five cents
For the Round Corners. "Chicago stone" each Six dollars
For the Round Corners. "Berea stone" each Four dollars.

Said amounts to be collected by the said parties of the first part at their own expense from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks. and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Grade bearing six per cent interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as said sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractors for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said parties of the first part further agree to perform the work according to the specifications hereto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary gradings and if a surplus, to remove the same from the street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile as may be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day

of Curbing &c. to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and reletting the same, and the said part of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties have hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

C.L.W. Lindlay. (Seal)
William Canning (Seal)
F. Kanne (Seal)

City attorney

C.L. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer.

Proposal.

For grading, curbing and paving the Sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Gordon Street to Hanna Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen.

The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials, according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to wit:

For Curbing (Berea Stone per lineal foot		55
" " Chicago " " " "		73
" Grading and Paving " " "		79
" Round Corners each Chicago	6	50
" " " " Berea stone	2	50

Fort Wayne, Ind. 3 Aug 1872

For the Mayor and Common Council

Gentlemen.—If you award to C.L.W. Lindlay & Co. the above work, or any part, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of their contract to do said work according to specifications.

And We further Agree, That if the said C.L.W. Lindlay & Co shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid, then we will forfeit and pay

to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said Contractors failing & failing to enter into said contract, and perform said work in accordance with their bid.

B. D. Miner.

Specifications

For grading to a width of 12 feet, paving with brick to a width of 8 feet, and Curbing with stone Curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Washington Street from Harden Street to Harmer Street.

Grading

The sidewalks will be graded according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer and all material of a proper kind taken from excavations may be used in filling the space between the brick and stone curbing, which must be evenly filled to grade.

In excavating for the said foundations, care must be taken not to injure or destroy any shade-trees unless in the opinion of the Engineer it becomes necessary.

Ballast

The ballast or bed on which the brick are laid, to be eight (8) inches deep and composed of clean coarse river sand or gravel packed solid with a roller and leveled to grade with a scraper.

Paving

The pavement to be 8 feet wide, composed of good sound hard burned brick of uniform size and temper, free from lime & other defects, to be laid true and even to the line and level given & to break joints throughout. Both sides to be curbed with brick set on ends, the top one inch below the pavement.

The above work will be estimated by the lineal foot, and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, material, excavation and filling for the entire 12 feet.

As soon as the pavement is laid and inspected, it will be rolled and covered with a coating of clean fine sand one-fourth of an inch deep which must be thoroughly brushed into the joints with a stiff broom.

Curbing

The walks will be curbed with good sound Athens (Ohio) limestone, or, if Common Council so order with the best quality of Berea (Ohio) stone free from cracks, seams or other defects, to be 4 inches thick, 18 inches deep and not less

than 3 feet in length, dressed on the face to a depth of 6 inches, and on the ends to a depth of 10 inches; the top to be dressed with a bevel of 1/2 an inch. To be firmly set with close square joints, on a solid foundation, true to the lines and levels given by the Engineer.

Curbs to be backed up on the outside with good material to within 6 inches of the top. The backing to be sloped towards the gutter at the ratio of 1 1/2 to 1 and solidly packed to prevent the stone from settling out of line.

Said work to be estimated by the lineal foot complete.

As fast as any part is finished, the Contractor will remove all rubbish and material deposited by him on the Street and replace all plank crossings and culverts in as good condition as they were before being disturbed.

The payment for said work must be collected by the Contractor at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering thereon, except for the crossing of streets and alleys, which will be paid for by the City in corporation orders bearing six percent interest.

The work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, who shall have full power to reject any labor or material, and cause any and all of the work to be rebuilt at the expense of the Contractor if it has been done contrary to these specifications.

Wherever sidewalks have heretofore been constructed of brick or stone, which the Engineer may deem suffient, or in case the owner of any property bordering on said street shall give satisfactory evidence of his intention forthwith to pave the walk with stone flagging such walk will be exempt from these specifications, so far as relates to the Brick pavement.

The Contractor must guard the public from injury by reason of the Construction of said work, and defend at his own expense all actions for damages which may be brought against him or the City on account of any neglect of the necessary precautions.

Section one (1) Chapter eight (8) of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne is incorporated into, and made a part of, these specifications.

The work to be commenced and Carried on at such time and in such place as the Engineer may direct, and completed to his entire satisfaction and approval, on or before 1st day of October 1872

From Barr street to Harmer Street trenches will be cut across the space between the brick and stone Curb, to be filled with broken stone or brick not less than four of said trenches will be put in on each side of every square

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents. That we Christian W. Lindlay, William Kenning, and Frederick Kenne and Byron D. Miner. of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Christian W. Lindlay, William Kenning, and Frederick Kenne shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 23d day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

C. W. Lindlay (Seal)
William Kenning (Seal)
F. Kenne (Seal)
Edward Burkam (Seal)

Which Contract, Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of William Pape for Grading and planking the sidewalks on High Street.

Contract for

Contract

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 23d day of April 1872 by and between William Pape of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part,

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenant and agree to grade to a width of six feet and plank to a width of four feet, the sidewalks on the North side of High Street from Wells Street to the west line of Wells Addition and on the south line of said street from Wells Street to St. Mary's Avenue, at and for the following prices to wit:

For the grading per Cubic Yard, Twenty eight cents
" " planking " lineal foot Twenty five 3/4 "

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first at his own expense, from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent. interest, but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the Contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day August 1872 to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer; and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said part of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue thro said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties have hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne. William Pape [Seal]

City Attorney

E. H. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer.

Proposal

To Grade and Plank the sidewalks on the north side of High street from Wells Street to the west line of Wefels Addition and on the south side from Wells Street to St. Mary's Avenue.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer at and for the following prices to wit:

April 2nd

For Grading per Cubic Yard		28
" Planking " lineal foot		20 3/4

Fort Wayne. Ind. April 9 1872

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen.- If you award to William Pape the above work, or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of said contract to do said work according to Specifications.

And We Further Agree, That if the said William Pape shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid, then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said William Pape having failed to enter into said contract, and perform said work in accordance with his bid.

John [illegible]

Specifications

For grading and Planking the sidewalks on the North side of High Street from Wells Street to the west line of Wefer's Addition and on the south side from Wells Street to St. Marys Avenue.

Grading

The above sidewalks will be smoothly and evenly graded to a width of 6 feet according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and the gutter slopes formed at the ratio of 1 1/2 to 1. The material excavated, if of a suitable nature, will be used for filling, where required, otherwise to be removed by the Contractor at his own expense to some point, not to exceed the distance of half a mile from the work, and disposed of as directed by the Street Commissioner.

Wherever filling is required, it must be composed of good clay or gravel, free from perishable substances and thoroughly packed down, so as to prevent the walks from settling after their completion. The spaces between the stringers to be filled flush with clean sand or gravel.

The grading will be estimated by the Cubic Yard of Excavation; provided that wherever material is borrowed to complete the filling said filling will be estimated as excavation.

Planking

The lumber used in the construction of said walks must be good, sound White Ash or pine, free from sap or other defects, the planks to be 2 inches thick, six inches wide and 4 feet long, and spiked to the stringers with 10 penny nails 4 nails to each plank. The stringers to be four inches square, and not less than 12 feet long, and be laid 3 feet apart.

All of said work must be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, and subject to the provisions of Section One Chapter Eight, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne which is hereby made a part of these Specifications.

The Contractor must take the necessary precautions to guard the public from injury to person or property, by reason of the construction of said work, and he shall assume and be liable for such injury, if occasioned, and defend, at his own cost and expense, all suits or actions for damages, which may be brought against him, or the City of Fort Wayne, arising under these specifications.

All of said work to be finished to the satisfactions of the City Civil Engineer, on or before the 1st day of August 1872

Bond

Know all men by these presents. That we William Pape and John Wafel of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound William Pape shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 23d day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness, our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John Wafel (Seal)
William Pape (Seal)

Which Contract, Bond & Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

Contract for Sidewalk on Clay st

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of Theodore Figgeman for planking and planking the sidewalks on the east side of Clay Street from Holman St. to the P. Ft.W. & C.R.R.

Contract.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 22d day of April 1872 by and between Theodore Figgeman of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part;

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenants and agrees to Grade to a width of ten feet and plank to a width of four feet, the sidewalks on the east side of Clay Street from Holman Street to the P. Ft.W. & C.R.R. at and for the following prices, to wit:

For the planking per lineal foot Twenty seven cents
" " Grading " Cubic Yard Twenty nine " "

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications on file in the office of City Clerk [illegible] of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of July 1872, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer, and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specification, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and re-letting the same, and the said part of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties have here-

unto set our hands the day and year above written
For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne. Theodore Figgeman (Seal)

City Attorney

C. A. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents. That we Theodore Figgeman and Frederick Sievers of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, in the sum of Fifty Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators, firmly by these presents.
The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound Theodore Figgeman shall faithfully complys with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 22d day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill the Conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness. our hands and seals the day and year last above written

Theodore Figgeman (Seal)
George Jacoby (Seal)

Which Contract and Bond were approved and same ordered placed on file.

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of John W. Laughor for Grading and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Lewis Street from Division Street to Calhoun Street.

Contract.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 22d day of April 1872 by and between John W. Laughor of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.
Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenants and agrees to Grade to a width of ten feet pave with brick to a width of six feet and curb with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Lewis Street from Division Street to Calhoun Street at and for the following prices to wit:

For the grading and paving per lineal foot	Seventy Seven cents
" " " " "Crossings" " "	Eighty three "
" " Curbing "Chicago stone" per lineal foot	Seventy five "
" " " "Berea " " " "	Fifty seven "
" " Round Corners "Chicago Stone" each	Five Dollars
" " " " Berea " "	Two 50/100 "

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first at his own expenses, from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Orders, bearing six per cent interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the Contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the First day of October 1872, to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer and should said work not be finished by the time specified and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and retaining the same, and the said party of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof, We the foregoing named parties have hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne: John. W. Langohr. (Seal)

City Attorney

C. L. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer.

Proposal

To Grade to a width of 10 feet Pave to a widdth of 6 feet and curb with stone curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Lewis Street from Calhoun Street to Division Street

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen. The

undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to wit:

For	Curbing Chicago Stone per lineal foot		70
"	" Berea " " " "		57
"	Grading and Paving " " "		77
"	Round Corners each Chicago	6	00
"	" " " Berea	2	00
"	Paving Crossings		83

To the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen—If you award to John. A. Laughlr the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to Specifications.

And We Further Agree, That if the said John. A. Laughlr shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeable to such bid, then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said John. A. Laughlr having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid.

Edward. Seidel.
Geo. Strodel

Specifications

For Grading. Paveing with brick and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Lewis Street from Calhoun Street to Division Street.

Grading

The sidewalks will be graded according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer and all material of a proper kind taken from excavations may be used in filling the spaces between the brick and stone curbing which must be evenly filled to grade.

In excavating for the said foundation care must be taken not to injure or destroy any shade-trees unless in the opinion of the Engineer it becomes necessary.

Ballast

The ballast or bed on which the bricks are laid, to be eight inches

deep and composed of clean coarse river sand or gravel, packed solid with a roller and leveled to grade with a scraper.

Paving

The pavement to be 6 feet wide, composed of good sound hard-burned brick of uniform size and texture free from lime or other defects, to be laid true and even to the line and level given, and to break joints throughout. Both sides to be curbed with brick set on end, the top one inch below the pavement.
The above work will be estimated by the lineal foot, and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, material excavation and filling for the entire 10 feet.
As soon as the pavement is laid and inspected, it will be rolled and covered with a coating of clean fine sand one-fourth of an inch deep, which must be thoroughly brushed into the joints with a stiff broom.

Curbing

The walks will be curbed with good sound Athens (Ohio) Limestone, or, if the Common Council so order, with the best quality of Ohio stone, free from cracks, seams or other defects, to be 4 inches thick, 18 inches deep and not less than 3 feet in length, dressed on the face to a depth of 6 inches, and on the ends to a depth of 10 inches; the top to be dressed with a level of ½ an inch. To be firmly set with close square joints on a solid foundation, true to the lines and levels given by the Engineer.
When set to be packed up the outside with good material to within 6 inches of the top. The backing to be sloped toward the gutter at the ratio of ½ to 1, and carefully packed to prevent the stone from settling out of line.
Said work to be estimated by the lineal foot, complete to it.
As fast as a square is finished, the Contractor will remove all rubbish and material deposited by him on the street and replace all plank crossings and culverts in as good condition as they were before being disturbed.
The payment for said work must be collected by the Contractor at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering thereon, except for the crossings of streets and alleys which will be paid for by the City in corporation orders bearing six per cent. interest.
The work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer who shall have full power to reject any labor or material and cause any and all of the work to be rebuilt at the expense of the Contractor, if it has been done contrary to

these specifications.
Wherever sidewalks have heretofore been constructed of brick or stone, which the Engineer may deem sufficient or in case the owner of any property bordering on said street shall give satisfactory evidence of an intention forthwith to pave the walk with stone flagging, such walk will be exempt from these specifications, so far as relates to the brick pavement.
The Contractor must guard the Public from injury by reason of the construction of said work, and defend at his own expense all actions for damages which may be brought against him or the City on account of any neglect of the necessary precautions.
Section one, (1) Chapter eight (8) of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne is incorporated into, and made a part of these specifications.
The work to be commenced and carried on at such time and in such places as the Engineer may direct and completed to his entire satisfaction and approval, on or before 1st day of September 1872

Bond

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, John. W. Langohr. Edward. Seidel and George Strodel of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents.
The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John. W. Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 25th day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness—our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John. W. Langohr. Seal
Edward Seidel Seal
George. Strodel Seal

Which Contract Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

Contract for Sidewalks on Main St

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of John. W. Langohr for grading, paving and curbing the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street

Contract

This Agreement, Made and entered into this Twenty third day of April 1872 by and between John. W. Laughlin of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part, and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenant and agree to grade to a width of twelve feet pave with brick to a width of eight feet and curb with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street at and for the following prices to wit:

For the grading and paving per lineal foot Seventy nine cents
For the Curbing "Chicago stone" " " " Seventy three "
For " " "Berea" Stone" " " " Fifty five "
" " Round Corners "Chicago stone" each Six 50/100 (6.50) Dollars
" " " " "Berea" " each Two 50/100 "

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Orders, bearing [illegible] interest but payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the Contractor for work done in the prosecution of such improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council. The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading, and if a surplus, to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile, as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer, and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the First day of October 1872 to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer and should said work not be finished by the time specified and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and reletting the same, and the said part of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said work according to contract.

In Testimony Whereof — We, the foregoing named parties hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne. John. W. Laughlin (Seal)

City Attorney
C. L. Brackenridge
City Civil Engineer.

PROPOSAL

To grade, pave and Curb the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen— The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials, according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit:

For Grading and paving per lineal foot		77
" Curbing Berea Stone " " "		55
" " Chicago " " " "		73
" Round Corners each	2½ & 6	

Fort Wayne April 9 1872.

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen— If you award to Jno. W. Langohr the above work or any part thereof we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to Specifications.

And We Further agree, That if the said John. W. Langohr shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Fort Wayne the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said John. W. Langohr having failed to enter into said contract and perform said work in accordance with his bid.

Edward Seidel
Geo. Strodel

Specifications.

For grading to a width of 12 feet paving with brick to a width of 8 feet and Curbing with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Clinton Street from Berry Street to Lewis Street.

Grading

The sidewalks will be graded according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer and all material of a proper kind taken

from excavations may be used in filling the space between the brick and stone curbing, which must be evenly filled to grade.
In excavating for the sand foundations, care must be taken not to injure or destroy any shade-tree unless in the opinion of the Engineer it becomes necessary.

Ballast.

The ballast on bed on which the brick are laid, to be eight (8) inches deep and composed of clean coarse river sand or gravel, packed solid with a roller and leveled to grade with a scraper.

Paving

The pavement to be 8 feet wide, composed of good, sound Land-burned brick of uniform size and texture, free from lime or other substances, to be laid true and even to the line and level given, and to break joints throughout. Both sides to be curbed with brick set on end the top one inch below the pavement.
The above work will be estimated by the lineal foot and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, materials, excavation and filling for the entire 12 feet.
As soon as the pavement is laid and inspected, it will be rolled and covered with a coating of clean fine sand one-fourth of an inch deep, which must be thoroughly brushed into the joints with a stiff Broom

Curbing

The walks will be curbed with good sound Athens (Ill.) limestone or if the Common Council so orders with the best quality of Bedford (Ohio) stone, free from cracks, seams or other defects, to be 4 inches thick, 18 inches deep and not less than 3 feet in length, dressed on the face to a depth of 6 inches, and on the ends to a depth of 10 inches; the top to be dressed with a bebel of 1/2 an inch. To be firmly set with close square joints, on a solid foundation, true to the lines and levels given by the Engineer.
When set to be backed up on the outside with good material to within 6 inches of the top. The backing to be sloped toward the gutter at the ratio of 1/2 to 1 and solidly packed to prevent the stone from settling out of line. Said work to be estimated by the lineal foot complete.
As fast as a square is finished, the Contractor will remove all rubbish and material deposited by him on the Street and replace all plank crossings and culverts in as good condition as they were before being disturbed.
The payment for said work must be collected by the Contractor

at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering thereon except for the crossings of streets and Alleys which will be paid for by the City in Corporation orders bearing six percent. interest.
The work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer who shall have full power to reject any labor or material, and cause any and all of the work to be rebuilt at the expense of the Contractor, if it has been done contrary to these specifications.
Wherever sidewalks have heretofore been constructed of brick or stone which the Engineer may deem sufficient or in case the owner of any property bordering on said street shall give satisfactory evidence of an intention forthwith to have the walk with stone flagging such walk will be exempt from these specifications, so far as relates to the brick pavement.
The Contractor must guard the public from injury by reason of the construction of said work and defend at his own expense all actions for damages which may be brought against him or the City on account of any neglect of the necessary precautions.
Section one (1) Chapter eighty (80) of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne is incorporated into and made a part of these specifications.
The work to be commenced and carried on at such time and in such place as the Engineer may direct, and Completed to his entire satisfaction and approval, on or before 1st day of October 1872.

BOND

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, John. W. Langohr. Edward Seidel and George Strodel of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents.
The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John. W. Langohr. shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract, made and entered into this 23d day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness — our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John. W. Langohr. (Seal)
Geo. Strodel (Seal)
E. Holzworth (Seal)

Which Contract, Bond, and Specifications, were approved and same ordered placed on file

City Civil Engineer submitted the following Contract and Bond of John. W. Laughor for Grading paveing with brick and Curbing with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Division Street to Harden Street.

Contract for Sidewalks

Contract.

This Agreement, Made and entered into this 22d day of April 1872 by and between John. W. Laughor of the County of Allen State of Indiana of the first part and the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne of the second part,

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part covenant and agree to grade to a width of twelve feet, pave to a width of eight feet with brick and curb with stone the sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Division Street to Harden Street aforesaid for the following prices to wit:

For the grading and paveing per lineal foot	Eighty cents
" " Curbing "Berea Stone" " " "	Fifty seven "
" " " "Chicago " " " "	Seventy five "
" " Round Corners "Chicago stone" each	Five Dollars
" " " " "Berea " "	Two & 50/100 "

Said amounts to be collected by the said party of the first at his own expense, from the owners of the property bordering on said sidewalks and from the Common Council for the crossings of streets and alleys in Corporation Orders, having six per cent interest put payment thereof to be withheld so long as any sums remain unpaid to laborers employed by the Contractor for work done in the prosecution of said improvement. It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any other party without the consent of the Common Council.

The said party of the first part further agrees to perform the work according to the specifications hereunto attached and made a part of these presents.

The Contractor to supply all earth required to complete the necessary grading and if a surplus to remove the same to some street or alley, not exceeding a distance of half a mile as shall be directed by the Civil Engineer and spread the same to his satisfaction. To be finished on or before the first day of October 1872 to the entire satisfaction of the Civil Engineer and should said work not be finished by the time specified, and according to the above specifications, then the said party of the second part shall have the privilege and option of forfeiting this contract and retaining the same and the said part of the first part shall be responsible for all damages that may accrue by said failure to perform said

work according to contract.

In Testimony. Whereof, We, the foregoing named parties have hereunto set our hands the day and year above written.

For the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne: John. W. Langohr. Seal

City Attorney

C. A. Brackenridge

City Civil Engineer.

Proposal

To Grade to a width of 12 feet Pave to a width of 8 feet and curb with stone curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Division Street to Garden Street.

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials, according to the Specifications and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to wit:

For Curbing	Chicago Stone	Per lineal foot	75
" "	Berea "	" " "	57
" Grading and paving		" " "	80
" Round Corners each	Chicago		6 00
" " "	Berea		2 50

Fort Wayne, Ind., March 26 1872

To the Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:- If you award to John. W. Langohr the above work, or any part thereof, we agree to become security for the faithful performance of his contract to do said work according to Specifications.

And We further Agree, That if the said John W. Langohr shall neglect or refuse to enter into a contract for the performance of said work agreeably to such bid then we will forfeit and pay to the City of Ft. Wayne the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, and all damages that the City may suffer in consequence of the said John. W. Langohr having failed to enter into said contract, and perform said work in accordance with his bid.

Edward Seidel.

George Strodel.

Specifications

For Grading, Paving, with brick and curbing the Sidewalks on both sides of Jefferson Street from Division Street to Harden Street.

Grading

The sidewalks will be graded, according to the lines and levels given by the City Civil Engineer, and all material of a proper kind taken from excavations may be used in filling the space between the brick and stone curbing, which must be evenly filled to grade.
In excavating for the said foundations, care must be taken not to injure or destroy any shade trees, curbs in the opinion of the Engineer it becomes necessary.

Ballast

The ballast or bed on which the brick are laid, to be eight (8) inches deep and composed of clean coarse river sand or gravel, packed solid with a roller and leveled to grade with a scraper.

Paving

The pavement to be 8 feet wide, composed of good sound hard-burned brick of uniform size and temper, free from lime or other defects, to be laid true and even to the lines and level given, and to break joints throughout. Both sides to be curbed with brick set on end, the top one inch below the pavement.
The above work will be estimated by the lineal foot, and the price bid per lineal foot must include all labor, material excavation and filling for the entire 12 feet.
As soon as the pavement is laid and inspected it will be rolled and covered with a coating of clean fine sand, one fourth of an inch deep which must be thoroughly brushed into the joints with a stiff broom.

Curbing

The walks will be curbed with good sound Athens (Ills.) limestone; or, if the Common Council so order, with the best quality of Berea (Ohio) stone, free from cracks, seams or other defects, to be 4 inches thick 18 inches deep and not less than 3 feet in length, dressed on the face to a depth of 6 inches, and on the ends to a depth of 10 inches; the top to be dressed with a level of ½ an inch. To be firmly set with close square joints on a solid foundation, true to the lines and levels given by the Engineer.
Curbs are to be backed up on the outside with good material to within 6 inches of the top. The backing to be sloped toward

the gutter at the ratio of 1½ to 1, and solidly packed to prevent the stone from settling out of line.
Said work to be estimated by the lineal foot, complete.
As fast as a square is finished, the contractor will remove all rubbish and material deposited by him on the streets and replace all plank crossings and culverts in as good condition as they were before being disturbed.
The payment for said work must be collected by the Contractor at his own expense from the owners of the property bordering thereon except for the crossings of streets and alleys, which will be paid for by the City in Improvement Orders bearing six per cent interest.
The work to be done under the direction of the City Civil Engineer who shall have full power to reject any labor or material and cause any and all of the work to be rebuilt at the expense of the Contractor if it has been done contrary to these specifications.
Wherever sidewalks have heretofore been constructed of brick or stone, which the Engineer may deem sufficient, or in case the owner of any property bordering on said street shall give satisfactory evidence of an intention forthwith to pave the walk with stone flagging, such walk will be exempt from these specifications so far as relates to the brick pavement.
The Contractor must guard the public from injury by reason of the construction of said work, and defend at his own expense all actions for damages which may be brought against him or the City on account of any neglect of the necessary precautions.
Section one, (1) Chapter eight (8) of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne is incorporated into, and made a part of these specifications.
The work to be commenced and carried on at such time and in such place as the Engineer may direct, and completed to his entire satisfaction and approval, on or before 1st day of September 1872

BOND

Know All Men by these Presents, That we John. W. Langohr. Edward Seidel and George Strodel of the County of Allen and State of Indiana are held and firmly bound to the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne in the sum of Three thousand Dollars, the payment whereof well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs. executors and Administrators firmly by these presents.
The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above bound John. W. Langohr shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 22d day of April 1872 with the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, and fulfill the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true

intent and meaning thereof, in all respects, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.
Witness - our hands and seals the day and year last above written.

John W. Langohr [Seal]
Edward Stiehl [Seal]
Geo. Strodel [Seal]

Which Contract Bond and Specifications were approved and same ordered placed on file.

Affidavit of J. W. Langohr vs J. W. Ely.

City Clerk presented an Affidavit of John W Langohr contractor for Grading, Curbing and paving with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Ewing to Griffith Street and praying that precepts be issued against
Lot No 95 55 ft Blk 22 Ewing Add owned by Geo. W. Ely to secure the sum of $6.45

Same vs Mary R. Wheeler

Also Affidavits of John W. Langohr contractor for Grading and Paving with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Wayne Street from Union to Rockhill and praying that precepts be issued against
Lot No 188 Rockhills Add owned by Mary R. Wheeler to secure the sum of $63.83
" " 113 " " West 23 ft " " " " " " " " " " $39.67

Which Affidavits were received and ordered placed on file and Clerk instructed to issue precepts prayed for.

Councilman Hagemeyer offered the following.
Resolved: That the City Civil Engineer be and is hereby instructed to prepare forthwith an Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindlay for Grading & planking Sidewalks on Butler Street from Webster Street to Hoagland Avenue.

Estimate in favor of C. W. Lindlay for Sidewalks on Butler

In accordance with the above instructions, C. E. submitted the following first Estimate allowed C. W. Lindlay for Grading & Planking Sidewalks on Butler Street from Webster Street to Hoagland Avenue.

Owners Names	Description	No. of Lot	No. of Feet	Assessment for Grading		Assessment for Planking	
J. L. Williams		80	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
" " "		79	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
" " "		78	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
John Jones		77	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
Thomas Jones		76	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
Jane Chamberlain		75	47	5	17	12 93	18 10
Leonard Lang[illegible]		74	47	5	17	12 93	18 10

	Total	ft	Grading		Excavating		Gravel	
William Darker	73	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
Es. J. Mattoon	72	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
Daniel Dick	71	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
" "	70	574	5	94	14	83	20	89
City of Fort Wayne	69	49	5	39	13	58	18	77
" " " "	68	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
" " " "	67	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
William Boyd	66	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
Jane Logan	65	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
Marion Burgess	64	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
J. L. Williams	63	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
" " " "	62	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
R. Livingstone	61	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
	60	47	5	17	12	93	18	10
	59	47	5	17	12	93	18	10

Paid May 27/72

I certify that the above Estimate is correct, and made in accordance with an order of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.

Approved April 3 1872

Attest Sam. P. Freeman City Clerk

L. L. Brackenridge
C. E. Engineer

Which Estimate was approved and allowed and parties ordered to pay Contractor as per Contract and Estimate

3d Reading of Ordinance for Sidewalks on Wayne St.

An Ordinance (H I) to grade to a width of 12 feet and pave with brick to a width of 8 feet and curb with stone the sidewalks on Wayne Street from Calhoun Street to Harmer Street, was read a third time now, the question being shall the Ordinance pass? Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs Bradway, Bull, Cavier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schaefer, Tower, Underhill & Wilson (12) Nays Tower (1) Not voting Goshorn, Hanna & Taghtemeyer (2). So the Ordinance was passed.

3d Sidewalks on Calhoun St.

An Ordinance (H J) to grade and pave with brick the sidewalks on both sides of Calhoun Street from Lewis Street to the P. Ft W & C. R. R. was read a third time and on motion laid on the table, and C. C. C. to report to the Council what sidewalks should be exempted

Introduction

Sewer on Calhoun St.

An Ordinance (H I) To Construct a double ring brick sewer with the necessary Sand Pits, Man holes and connections on Clay Street from the Wabash and Erie Canal to Holman Street. Said Sewer to be Four and one half feet in diameter from said Canal to Lewis Street and three and one half feet in diameter from Lewis Street to Holman Street. was introduced by Mr. Goshorn and read a first time now Mr. Goshorn moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of reading the Ordinance a 2d time Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Bradway, Bull, Cavier, Dessauer, Hogan, Morgan, Schaefer, Tower, Underhill, & Wilson, (10) Nays. Stoll and Shryock (2). So the rules were not suspended.

Councilman Wilson offered the following.

Whereas, the City of Fort Wayne has not yet paid its subscription to the Cincinnati, Richmond and Fort Wayne Railway

may not vote stock in J.V.R.R. & C.R.R.

Company and prior to such payment it is doubtful whether the representatives of the Cities Stock would be legally entitled to vote said stock at a meeting of the Stock holders. Therefore.

Resolved. That the stock subscribed by said city to said Railroad Company be not voted at the meeting of Stock holders on the 20th inst.

Which resolution was adopted.

St. Com'r Resolution

Councilman Andrews offered the following.

St. Com'r to repair Hood & West streets

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be and is hereby required to bring to grade and properly repair Hood & West Streets from Pritchard to the P. Ft. W & C R.R. Rail Road and continue the improvement of Hood Street from the P. Ft. W & C. R.R. to Union Street.

Which resolution was Adopted.

C.E. to prepare plans &c. for this cistern

Councilman Fagtmeyer offered the following.

Resolved. that the C.C. Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and Specifications and Contract for the Construction of a fire cistern on Jefferson Street between Jackson & Union St. O. S. Emmanuel Luth Church.

Which resolution was referred to Com on Fire Dept. & C.C. Engineer.

St. Comm'r to remove street crossing

Councilman Underhill offered the following

Resolved. that the Street Commissioner be and is hereby instructed to remove the street crossing now existing across Broadway between Jefferson & Wilt Streets and place the same across the Street commencing at the north line of the alley adjoining Mr Nestles property and running straight across the Street

Which resolution was Referred to Com on Streets.

St. Comm'r to construct crossing on Butler & Hoagland Ave.

Councilman Hogan offered the following.

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to put down crossing on Butler & Hoagland St.

Which resolution was adopted.

Com on Gas to erect Lamp post at St Jos. School

Councilman Hogan offered the following.

Resolved, that the Committee on Gas be instructed to put a Gas post opposite the St. Joseph Academy on Clinton Street.

Which resolution was adopted.

St crossing on Butler

Councilman Hogan offered the following.

Resolved. that the Street Commissioner be instructed to [illegible] crossing on Butler & Webster Streets.

Which resolution was adopted.

Crossing on Butler & Harrison

Councilman Horgan Offered the following.
Resolved. that the Street Commissioner be instructed to lay down Crossings on Butler & Harrison Sts.

Which resolution was Adopted

Councilman. Stoll offered the following.
Whereas. the safe now used by the Treasurer is insufficient and unsafe for the purposes needed now. Therefore. be it.
Resolved. that the Finance Committee and the Treasurer be authorized to dispose it at reasonable rates and purchase a new safe of the make. Diebold McKinzie & Co the same to be six feet & six inches high and four feet & Six inches in Width five and burgular proof.

Which resolution was referred to Comt. on Finance

Councilman Stoll offered the following.
Resolved. That the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify the owner of lot No 3 in Farnans Addition to bring to grade and plank the sidewalk in front of said lot on Wells Street within fifteen days And if said owner does not comply with said notice that the Street Commissioner proceed to do said work and report the Cost of the same to the Council

Which resolution was adopted

Com. on Fire Dept & Engineers

On motion the Committee on Fire Department and his Honor the Mayor were instructed to sell the hand Engine "Lenapahoe" formerly run by Eagle Co.

Appointment of Board of Election

On motion, the following named persons were appointed Inspectors and Judges of Election in the several different wards,

First Ward	B. L. P. Williard	Inspector	Thos. Tigar	& H. N. Putnam Judges
Second "	Jno. A. Colerick	"	H Chamberlain	& J. C Bowser "
Third "	B. D Minor	"	S. Hauhorser	& H Jons "
Fourth "	C. W. Allen	"	B. C. Freeman	& W. G. Scheafer "
Fifth "	F. F. Boltz	"	C. Green	& W. T. Abbott "
Sixth "	A. Carroll	"	G. Grommiller	& W Meyers "
Seventh "	J. Geis	"	B. Rothes	& Peter Keller "
Eighth "	H. Schane	"	L Arnaud	& B Davis "
Ninth "	N. Benz		A Birck	& W Wefel

and Clerk instructed to notify said named Inspectors and Judges of their appointment

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by

Proposals to grade & gravel Berry st East

the City Civil Engineer to grade, gravel with screened gravel, curb with stone & have the gutters on Berry street from Clinton to Lafayette street were opened and read in these words & figures to wit:-

To the Hon. Mayor & Common Council of the City of Ft Wayne:

Gentlemen:- The undersigned here by propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to-wit:-

For graveling per lin foot	260	265	330	2[illegible]
" Grading " cubic yard	76	85	50	[illegible]
" curbing " lin foot Chicago stone	72	75	75	75
" " " " Berea "	[illegible]	[illegible]	52	[illegible]
" Paving gutters " "	34	36	27	40

Which bids were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the Council the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil Engineer to grade to a width of ten feet and pave with brick to a width of five feet the sidewalks on both sides of Jackson street from Main street to the P.F.W. & C. R.R. were opened and read in these words and figures to-wit:-

To sidewalk Sidewalks on Jackson street

To the Mayor & Common Council, of the City of Fort Wayne.

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

	For grading and paving per lin foot
J. B. Beson	.54¢
J. W Langohr,	.69¢

Which bids were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the Council the lowest and best bidder.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised for by the City Civil

Proposals for sidewalks on Pritchard St- Hoagland Av. Henry St- West " Hood "

Engineer to grade and plank the following sidewalks, viz:-
Pritchard Street, South side Rockhill street to Broadway
Hoagland Avenue West " Butler " " Creighton Ave
Henry Street both " Hoagland Ave to Fairfield "
West " " " Pritchard st. to P. F. W & C. R. R.
Hood " " " " " " " " " " " "
were opened and read in these words and figures to-wit:-

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne;

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work, furnish all labor and materials, according to the specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices to-wit:-

	Lindley	Sheetmatter	Pape
For Planking per lineal foot	30	27	28½
" Grading Cubic Yard	29	25	30
From Butler street to Fairfield Avenue and from Hoagland Avenue to Creighton Avenue.			
For Planking per lin foot	28		
" Grading " Cubic Yard	27		

which proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the council the name of the lowest and best bidder.

Sidewalks Water St- North Cass.

Sealed Proposals heretofore advertised by City Civil Engineer to Grade and Plank the sidewalks on the following Streets Viz.
Water Street both sides Harrison St to the W line of Calvin Ave
N. Cass " West " North side Ad'n to Ft. W & J. R. R.
were opened and read in these words and figures to wit:

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council
of the City of Fort Wayne;

Gentlemen:- The undersigned hereby propose to do the above named work furnish all labor and materials according to the Specifications, and under the direction of the City Civil Engineer, at and for the following prices, to wit, viz:

	Pape	Sheetmatter
For planking per lineal foot	40	38
" Grading per Cubic Yard	35	28

Which proposals were referred to Committee on Streets with instructions to examine and compare the same and report to the Council the name of the lowest and best bidder.

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B.L.P.Williard	Streets	54.00	H.Wagner	Fire Dept	4.15
N.Thompson	"	23.00	C.W.Lintlag	" "	3.00
E. Renor	"	23.00	H. Sthair	" "	20.25
H. Stiers	"	16.00	J.W.Bass	St. Lights	20.
H. Schopman	"	22.	C. Kelly	Police	4.50
J. Bonfoi	"	22.	J.A.Droegemeyer	Gen Exp	1.
J. Lynch	"	22.	Sam. P. Freman	" "	.90
I. Wagoner	"	22.	G. Burlager	" "	11.
B. Dumas	"	4.	L. Dessauer	Fire Dept Com Duties	16.50
Old Renor	"	4.	J.W Buell	" Do Do "	16 50
P. Burns	"	22.	A.V Carier	Sewerage " "	2.75
P. Looby	"	20.	" " "	Streets " "	30.25
P. Luxinberger	"	22.	" " "	Spl Com " "	5.50
J. Murphy	"	18.	H. Stoll	" Sts "	30.25
C. Schaffer	"	42.	F. Hogan	" Do "	27.50
G. Hanes	"	34.	" "	Spl " "	2.75
M. Devane	"	42.	G.V Wilson	" Do "	5.50
H. Brown	"	44.	H. Stoll	" Sew "	2.75
J. Whitehead	"	44.	P.S Underhill	Do	5.50
V. Wiebke	"	44.	J.B.Morgan	" Do "	11.00
Wm. Walda	"	130.62	F. Hogan	" Do "	11.00
C.W.Lintlag.	"	144.35	W. Fagtmeyer	" Gas "	5.50
Schafer & Griebel	"	383.80	J.B.Morgan	" "	5.50
C. Baker	"	24.50	W. Fagtmeyer	" Sew "	5.50
J.M. Koch	"	54.00	J.S Goshorn	" "	11.00
W. Wauthey	"	45.	S. Shryock	" P.G "	11.00
D. McKendry	"	27.	J. Schoepf	" "	11.00
J.W. Bass	Fire Dept	2.	C. Frenmeck	" "	11.00
V. Honeck & Co	" "	19.10	A.V Carier	" Gas "	5.50
J. Bowers	" "	30.	G.V Wilson	" Fire "	13.75
J. Baly	" "	2.	J.W Buell	" Do "	13.75
Meyers Bro & Co	" "	16.86	Alliger & Bro.	F. Dept	170.50

Read Approved and Signed
in open Council this 14th day of May 72.

Attest
Sam. P. Freeman
City Clerk

W. P. Randall
Mayor.

Wholesale Order on Gas Co. for Lamp posts on Wash Jeff & Lewis

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Jan 22 P.B. 7.50
Cr. 200 to Col. a.

Jay 22 10.00

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Pet-amay Res. 412 Index
Rept " " "